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## Time for lights, camera, action!

The Calgary International Film Festival's gala opening kicked off the showing of Score: A Hockey Musical — a Canadian-made film — Thursday night at the Globe. Hawksley Workman, above, had a cameo and sang in the movie — and also played an exclusive concert at Flames Central Thursday night.

## uarrel over cash for cops

• Hanson stated in his release that he would not be drawn into a debate amongst candidates • Police budget will be reviewed when new council resumes



Two mayoral candidates waged a sparring match Thursday over the police budget with the police chief wedging himself precariously in between.

Naheed Nenshi accused Ric McIver of flip-flopping his stance on the police budget, saying McIver admitted he was prepared to cut the police budget, despite voting on July 5 to pre-approve the budget.

Nenshi had prepared questions that he said should have been asked of city police

"Back in July (McIver) didn't ask ... questions. He didn't ask the chief to go through the budget, because council does not ask the right questions," said Nenshi.

Nenshi said Statistics Canada information was used to create the prepared questions on officer cost, and an increase in the budget versus number of officers on the streets.

Police Chief Rick Hanson issued a statement saying Nenshi's police budget information was inaccurate.

McIver said that Nenshi got it wrong this time, showing a copy of the minutes of when he voted to review the police budget — without officer cuts — on July

"Mr. Nenshi embarrassed himself severely today. He's wrong about every-thing. Unfortunately, he's been wrong about everything for a long time," said McIver.

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## Wanna go catch a movie?

The lovable losers of Fubar return O Richard Crouse on the wait for a good sequel • Plus reviews, showtimes and more {pages 21-27}

## It feels good to be home

Mayfair residents begin coming back after 11-day ordeal {page 4}

## **Backlund gets** his big break

Young Flames forward hopes to make an impact {page 34}





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Propelling the Dream of a second chance

The Dream Centre's annual radiothon aimed to raise nearly \$150,000 as 40 volunteers, former clients, celebrities and corporate representatives took to the phone as they try to hit their fundraising goal. The money raised accounts for more than half of the annual fundraising amount, that goes to help support men who reclaim their lives, overcoming addictions to drugs, alcohol and gambling.

# Sound and fury, signifying nothing

♠ Election buzzwords mean little, says professor ♠ 'Fiscal conservative' a popular term

Words like accountability, transparency, vibrancy and sustainability seem to be rolling off the tongues of all of Calgary's mayoral candidates but what do they really mean?

According to one politi-cal scientist, the answer is nothing.

"It's become so broad it literally means nothing, but it is the mantra that candidates feel they must use," said associate professor at Mount Royal Keith Brownsey. He said one term that's come up frequently in this year's campaigning is "fiscal conservative."

"Everyone that seems to be running for mayor is a fiscal conservative. I have no idea what that means," he said.

Local blogger and writer for calgarypolitics.com Shane Byciuk said many of the candidates are using these terms without having

"Their advisers, their political pros have told them to stay vague."

POLITICAL SCIENTIST KEITH BROWNSEY ON CANDIDATES

the plans to implement

"They'll mention 'transparency' but ... what will they do to enhance transparency?" asked Byciuk.

"They throw these buzz

words out there as a way to legitimize their campaigns but honestly, they don't really back it up by saying 'here's what I'll do.'"

Calgarian James Paton said even though many candidates have been campaigning for months, he doesn't really know what any of them stand for.

"It's frustrating as a vot-er because with so many candidates running this year, it's hard separate the

ones that actually know what they're talking about from the ones that don't," said Paton.

While the election may be less than a month away, Brownsey said it isn't likely that platforms will become more specific.

"If you're too specific, it opens you up to criticism and ... they don't want that. They want to appeal to a broad mass of voters."



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HIGHWAY CRASH

## 15-year-old involved in rollover, say RCMP

Officials believe speed and alcohol were factors in a collision involving a 15-year-old Calgary boy behind the wheel on the Trans-Canada Highway Thursday morning. RCMP spokesperson

Tim Taniguchi told Metro officials also believe those involved

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she said, adding it's

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were not wearing seatbelts in the collision that ended after a short pursuit when the vehicle rolled near Canmore.

We're still investigating further at this point," he said. The Trans-Canada

Highway was closed in both directions for several hours while officials investigated.

The driver was taken to a Canmore hospital and the passenger was taken to a Calgary hospital with serious injuries after both were thrown from the car.

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## Mayfair apartment tenants return home



356 residents began moving back in on Thursday O It's been 11 days since the residents were displaced

It was a bittersweet day for displaced residents of Mayfair Place as they moved back into their apartments Thursday.

Most residents were relieved to be home, but for many it was the first time they were allowed to survey the damage to their belongings after a power surge almost two weeks

ago.
"I'm happy to be home and I am grateful they were able to process my claims quickly and kindly," resident Craig Gerlitz said.

'They didn't give us a timeline to get our stuff back, though, and my computer, well, I'd certain-

"We have a team of insurance adjusters here and they will be assessing claims with tenants and they will be settled almost on the spot."

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## Replacements

- All of the building's appliances have been replaced by property manager CAPREIT.
- CAPREIT is also handing out \$250 Sobeys gift cards to residents for lost food

ly like it back sooner than later. But overall, things have been good.'

Mount Royal University criminal justice student Cale Peters, 20, took the day off school to move his belongings back into his apartment.

"This whole experience has been really annoying, actually, because to be honest, I was trying to get out of my lease before this happened," he adding there have always been electrical issues in the building.

"But it will be nice to move my stuff back in and live close to school and work again. Living out of a hotel in Shawnessy was inconvenient."

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## **Suspect** wanted on warrants

Police are seeking a man wanted on outstanding warrants for possession of marijuana and two counts of break and enter.

Police are asking anyone with information about Curt Douglas Smith. 48, to call 403-266-1234.

Smith may be using public transportation.

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## Tip yields arrest in murder

A man sought in relation to a murder in Edmonton has been arrested thanks to a tip from the public, according to officials.

Police say Azem Klinaku, 23, was arrested in Edmonton Thursday. Police originally believed Klinaku might be in Calgary.

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## Displaced pastor keeps the faith

One displaced Mayfair resident relied on his faith to get through the stressful ordeal of not having a for almost two weeks.

Ken Wilsdon, 59, has been a pastor for 35 years and said the ordeal was something he "wouldn't wish upon anyone,' adding he prayed daily for his fellow residents.

"I know I'm a lot luckier than a lot of the people in the building, and there were some residents worse off than me financially." Wilsdon said.

"The stress has been really high, and I think my faith in knowing things will work out in the end really helped get me

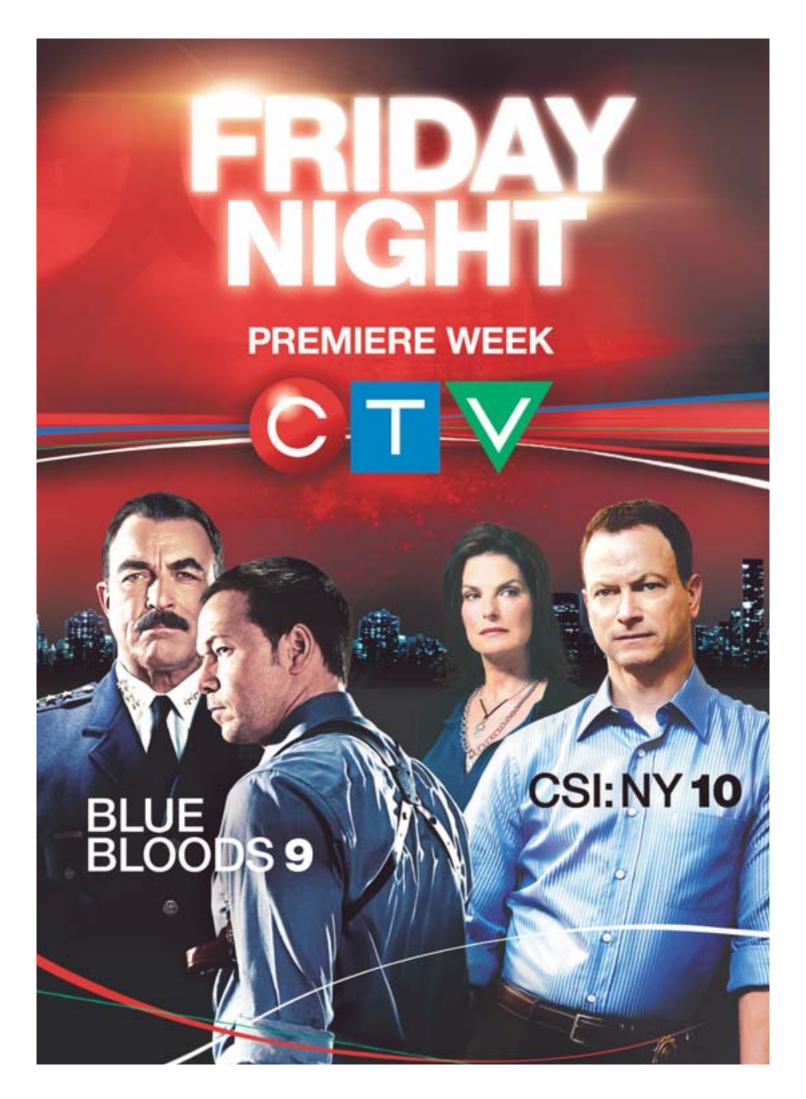
"It's just believing that

in the end it will be OK.

And though Wilsdon said Enmax's response has been good, he believes people should also be compensated for the emotional mental stresses they've experienced.

"My doctor says my stress levels are skyrocketing, my blood pressure is up. It's been tough on us," he added. • KRISTA SYLVESTER





NEUROSCIENCE RESEARCH

## U of C **bolsters** collection

The University of Calgary has obtained internationally significant texts spanning five centuries and will be making the collection available to the public.

The collection will provide students, faculty and the public a chance to utilize the Mackie

Family History of Neuroscience Collection.

This collection will be an invaluable resource for neuroscience research and education," U of C president Dr. Elizabeth Cannon said.

"It heightens the status of the University of Calgary as an international centre for neuroscience research and is an excellent addition to our library collection."

The collection is valued at approximately \$600,000.

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## **Exercise** study seeks fun this over-55ers

A new university kinesiology study is looking for people over 55 to take part in a year-long investigation into how even a moderate amount of exercise can have an impact on mobility, strength and - surprisingly — mood.

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## Free family weekend

Calgarians are invited to attend a free concert in Valleyview Park on Saturday from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. with the Smokin' 45's, Kirby Sewell and Youssou Seck.

The Valleyview Park concert is the fourth and final concert in the free family concert series

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## COULD NAHEED NENSHI BE HE REAL 'GAME CHANG



When Mayor Bronconnier announced in February he would not seek another term, there was a sudden buzz in the air.

here was another — albeit smaller — buzz when Liberal MLA Kent Hehr proclaimed he would run for the open seat. Then again, a little more public interest began to percolate when Ald. Ric McIver made the long anticipated announcement of his intention to win the centre chair at the council table.

Then in August, Barb Higgins, a familiar face to any Calgarian with a television and an interest in knowing what's going on in the world, created the biggest buzz of all by declaring she was entering the fray. The media and the public immediately began talking about her as a potential game changer" in the mayoral election.

Since then, however, Bronconnier has not publicly spoken about the election, Hehr has dropped out of the race, and McIver and Higgins are running solid campaigns filled

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with a traditional amount of "substance" - which is to say, enough to get voters curious, but not enough to get the candidate into trouble.

Behind all of this buzz, though, there is a candidate who has steadily risen in the polls from dead last in July to third place.

Much has been said about Naheed Nenshi as nothing more than the "social media candidate" because of his skills at using Facebook, Twitter, iPhone apps and text messages to get his ideas out to the public. Social media can become an echo chamber, and I too wondered if he might be living in a world of friends just telling him what he wanted to hear.

But I'm starting to think Nenshi may actually win.

During two mayoral forums this week, the audience was asked to vote for who they thought should be our next mayor. In both cases, Nenshi won the straw poll. And not just by a little bit. At both events he got more than 50 per cent of the vote.

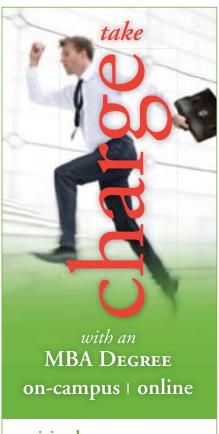
In both cases, McIver barely even registered.

How is it that a little-known candidate can have such sway over a room of people, the majority of whom have probably never heard of Twitter before, while the candidate leading in the polls has such a dismal showing?

It looks like Calgarians who are interested and concerned about the issues enough to show up to a mayoral forum are voting for Nenshi in great numbers, while the uniformed — who perhaps are relying more on name recognition — are getting behind McIver.

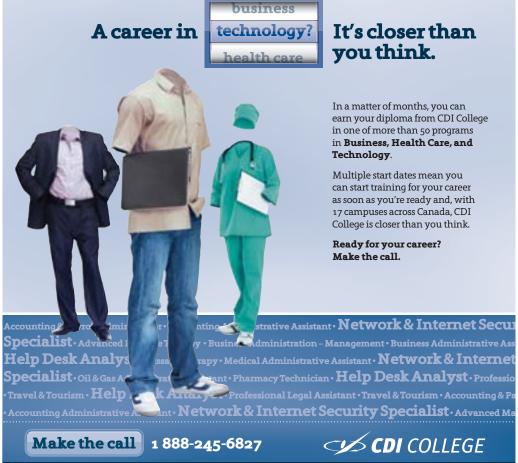
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## Forum helps voters choose **Ward 7 alderman**

Civic Camp holding 15 forums, one in each ward and another for mayoral candidates • Ward 7 stretches from Fort Calgary and East Village, northwest to Dalhousie



Ward 7 voters had a lot on their minds, and candidates answered questions about everything from urban chickens to recycling to urban sprawl.

One single issue didn't rise to the forefront for the packed Triwood Community Centre crowd of around 170, as the latest instalment of the Civic Camp's 14 ward forums took place in the northwest on Thursday night. Ward residents Kimberly

Coutts and Jason Quenneville thought the issues were covered "adequately," but even having the forum allowed them to solidify their decision on their future alderman.

'It definitely gave me the clarity for my final decision," said Coutts.

"Because we have a well-



known alderman, we know a lot about her, so it's learning about the other candiand what their

position might be.' Both thought the candidates' knowledge of the issues was "inconsistent," but Ouenneville said the forum was enough of a cross-section to help him make his

Getting people involved is the idea behind the ward forums, said Peter Rishaug of Civic Camp, hosts of the

event.
"I think the awareness is building. People are getting out at the community level and attending these forums," said Rishaug.

Not a lot is being done to get candidates in front of the voters at the ward level, Rishaug said, underscoring the importance of events like this.

"We're more than happy to provide the opportunity for people to engage that way," he said.

Ald. Druh Farrell, in her fourth run at the ward seat, said seeing the big crowd was inspiring.

"It's democracy at work people are engaged," she

"It's very positive." The next forum, involving Ward 9 candidates, is Friday at the Winston Heights-Mountview Community Hall at 520–27 Ave. NE, starting at 7 p.m.

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## On the campaign trail



## **Wayne Stewart**

Stewart said he would leave a 6.7 per cent increase for the 2011 budget alone if elected, but would freeze taxes for 2012. "Calgarians understand you can't keep spending money you don't have. My tax freeze will force city hall to bring discipline to budgeting," he stated. Stewart said he places high importance on social serv



awkesworth is championing the bid for Calgary to become the ultural capital of Canada and wants to invest in the creative ecormy. "The right priority for our next mayor and council is to invent and foster Calgary's creative economy," Hawkesworth said. His latform also detailed his intent to make 2012 a year of city-wide



## Naheed Nenshi

Nenshi questioned fellow candidate Ric McIver's leadership on Thursday, saying McIver was "flip-flopping" on the police budget. Nenshi questioned why Calgary has the second highest per-officer cost in the country, which prompted police Chief Rick Hanson to send out a release saying that information is false. Nenshi said, "Hanson doesn't have to cut officers on the street."



Sarb Higgins

Aliggins attended the Artsvote forum yesterday, saying the arts re very "personal" to her, growing up dancing and then moving nto applied arts as a writer and journalist. Higgins said she beleves the city needs to make an effort to embrace and retain its



Burrows took the Artsvote forum opportunity to reiterate his five-point plan to maintain and grow the arts in the city. It involved championing the arts, building critical infrastructure, encouraging public art, and embracing and promoting local talent. Burrows also said the city needs to examine policies that delay funding for



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Students at Alexander Ferguson School spent the day exploring the outdoors yesterday and learnthrough different forms of art.

The students, ranging from kindergarten to Grade 6, went to different stations outside the school where they had the chance to learn about songwriting, playing the drums and

even photography.
Grade 1 and 2 teacher
Lisa Kenna said through doing things like drumming, the kids are able to learn math patterns in an artistic way

"It really gives them a deeper meaning of what they're learning," Kenna.

"If you see it once you might remember it, if you see it and hear it you might remember it more. but if you can experience

## Naturalization

- Alexander Ferguson has a naturalization area outside the school, as well as a gully that the students use as an outdoor learning space.
- Parents, teachers, local artists and students helped design the area.

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Kenna said Alexander Ferguson incorporates the arts into their teaching on a daily basis.

After finishing up at the drumming circle, nine-year-old Sophie said she liked learning to play.

"We're doing a bunch of different activities that involve art," said Sophie.

"It was really fun go do a bunch of different rhythms.'



## Suncor unveils reclaimed pond

Suncor showed off the first reclaimed surface tailings pond in Canada at a site north of Fort McMurray on

The company called it an industry milestone, and showed off 225 hectares of land featuring 600,000 newly planted trees and a fresh-water pond in front of a crowd of officials, including Premier Ed Stelmach.

"It's not only good for the company but it's good for oilsands development,

good for the region, good for the province and most importantly for the country of Canada," he said.

The site was from the company's first tailings pond, opened in 1967.

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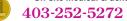
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## Students waiting for funds facing cash crunch

New provincial software has lengthened the process of funding approval • 'Hopeful' says a college official



Many Calgary students are still waiting for provincial funding to pay for schooling after a computer software glitch slowed the process.

Lynn Connell, director of learner services at Bow Valley College, said that 850 applied for the funding but many are still waiting to receive their money.

Around 200 students at Bow Valley have yet to receive their money, which is provided through the learner benefits at Alberta Works, according to Connell

"They're struggling

## **Deadline moved**

- Both SAIT and Bow Valley have postponed the tuition deadline for students waiting for funding.
- "The important thing we're trying to communicate to our students is don't suffer in silence," said Greg Michaud, dean for the Centre for Academic Learner Services at SAIT.

with paying rent, utilities, with childcare costs, with grocery costs so it's a pretty stressful time for the students right now," she said, adding that the college has rallied to assist

these students.

"We've had staff and former staff donate over \$5,000, as well as non-perishable food items," said Connell.

"Up to this point we've distributed over 3,000 transit tickets to our students and we just purchased another 1,000."

Vice-president external at the college Mark Baladad said the student's association is holding a rally on Monday to collect donations.

"We've donated a lot of tangible items such as food and toiletries," he said.

Greg Michaud of SAIT said that 89 students out of 260 have been approved for funding.

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## News in brief



## Man sought over robbery

CRIME. Police are seeking public assistance in relation to a robbery in the city's southwest on Sept. 18. Police say a man entered a gas station in the 2200 block of 33 Ave. SW and waited for customers to leave before threatening the lone employee with an unseen handgun and leaving with an undisclosed amount of money.

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## Spill closes Barlow Trail

ROADS. A portion of Barlow Trail was closed for several hours Thursday as crews worked to clean up a spill after a semi-trailer rolled near 61st Ave. SE. The truck spilled its load and caused massive traffic snarls in the southbound lane. The closure lasted about six hours.

## Another step towards bridge

**CONSTRUCTION.** The first shipment of Peace Bridge components is expected to arrive in the city this weekend.

City officials say this is the first of 16 shipments to be delivered and that the remainder will arrive at regular intervals, with the last load expected by the end of October.

Once all components arrive, work can begin on the assembly.

## Big year for Big Rock

▶ Ed McNally started Big Rock at the age of 60 ▶ Beer is sold in every province and territory, plus Korea



Celebrating 25 years of brewing, staff of Big Rock raised a pint Thursday to the city where it all began.

The company marked the milestone by piling staff into buses and driving to various pubs across the city to buy a pint of Big Rock for unsuspecting Calgarians.

While the company has grown since 1985, when Ed McNally, now 85, began the brewery, Big Rock has retained the same philosophy, according to the first salesman.

"It's difficult to describe

"Now it's 25 years later and we're going to be around another 25 years."
BREWMASTER PAUL GAUTREAU

it, thinking back now, because as you can well imagine in the last 25 years I've probably consumed a few Traditionals in my time," said Alastair Smart.

"What I loved about it was nobody knew who we were, nobody had heard of us."

Now, 25 years later, Big Rock has expanded into the bars across the city and Canada.

"I can remember when we had two or three accounts, and now we're in the thousands," said Smart.

Brewmaster Paul Gautreau became the seventh employee on the Big Rock team nearly 25 years ago when he began stacking bottles on pallets.

"There are some important things that haven't changed," said Gautreau. "The culture in the

"The culture in the plant is the same, exactly the same."

He said the beer is brewed in the same fashion, just in bigger batches.

President of Big Rock Bill McKenzie said there's no other job he would rather have

"This is my dream job," said McKenzie.



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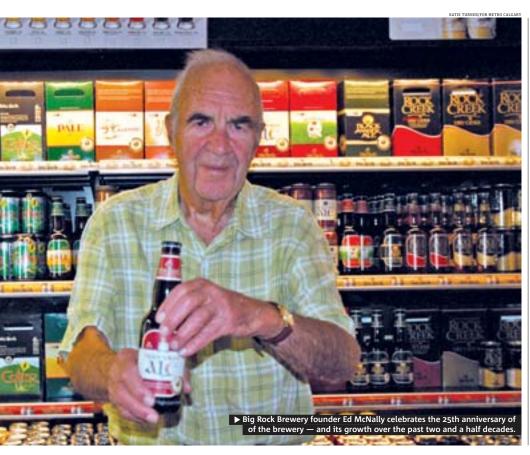
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## Town appeals Holmes's project

A green-homes development project orchestrated by TV personality Mike Holmes is set to be appealed by the town of Okotoks.

The town of Okotoks is appealing the decision for the Wind Walk project, which would place over 400 energy-efficient houses on land just south of Okotoks town limits, but Holmes Group director Seth Atkins is hopeful his organization will be successful.

"Our hope is for everyone to work together, and at this point we're just preparing to go through the appeal process," Atkins said of the plan, already approved by the municipal district approved

district approved.
Okotoks officials claim they are worried about where the development will get its water, but Atkins said the Holmes Group has gone "above and beyond" in quenching those concerns. © KRISTA SYLVESTER

### Project details



The Holmes Group ran Calgary newspaper ads

this week asking for support.

- ► The appeal hearing is expected to start on Nov. 8.
- The homes are environmentally friendly, fireproof, waterproof and mould proof.
- ► The full development cannot go ahead without a water licence.
- ▶ Plans include 457 homes and 80,000 square feet of commercial space.





## Rising obesity takes economic toll: OECD

Canada has high obesity rates relative to member countries → Cheap food, changing lifestyles to blame

Canada's battle with the bulge is continuing to escalate with nearly a quarter of the population part of the country's rising obesity rates, a new report from a leading economic organization said Thursday.

In its inaugural obesity

In its inaugural obesity study, the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development detailed the economic and financial toll of rising obesity rates. The findings are based on data from 11 of its 33 member countries.

The report said Canada has a relatively high number of overweight citizens, saying one in four Canadians currently qualifies as obese with that number expected to climb a further five per cent over the next decade.

Weight concerns were particularly prevalent among Canadian men, the report said, adding two in three are categorized as overweight.

Canadian obesity rates are well below those of the United States, identified by the OECD as the fattest nation among its member countries.

South of the border, 70 per cent of residents are classified as overweight. The number of obese Americans is projected to rise to 75 per cent by 2020, the report said.

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## Battle of bulge

Study urges adoption of comprehensive weight gain prevention strategy.

- Strategy Approach would ideally involve government initiatives such as health promotion messages and taxation changes to regulate food prices.
- Cost Such a program would cost \$32 US per capita and spare 40,000 Canadians death due to a chronic disease.
- Concern The economic cost of excess weight is a growing concern for many governments.



## Student fights alleged racism

A 16-year-old who believes she was kicked out of class for speaking her first language at school has prompted government investigations, and the case is demonstrating how volatile the issue of language in education remains in South Africa. School officials insist a disciplinary problem and not racism sparked the case, but it's now making headlines a generation after hundreds were killed when students revolted over being forced to learn in Afrikaans.



TWITTER

## Hack traced to Japan

This week's Twitter attack that caused a widespread headache for the micro-blogging service appears to have been triggered by a Japanese computer hacker who says he was only trying to help.

The attack, which emerged and was shut down within hours Tuesday morning, involved a "cross-site scripting" flaw that allowed users to run JavaScript programs on other computers.

The originator is believed to be someone who acknowledges creating the Twitter account "RainbowTwtr" demonstrated the vulnerability.

Through his Twitter account and personal blog, Kinugawa regularly tracks down possible computer security loopholes and notifies companies of their existence.

## Girl says siblings died next to her in closet

day hearing in Indianapolis.

Defence attorneys requested a gag order in the case and private autopsies for the three-year-old and four-year-old.

Authorities have said Farah locked the children in the closet, left the home to visit a friend and returned about 10 hours later to find two of them had died. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Harper to see Igor's damage first-hand



• Road repairs should allow supplies to reach isolated areas: RCMP

Prime Minister Stephen Harper will tour areas of Newfoundland Friday that were damaged by hurricane Igor.

Meanwhile, the massive cleanup and tallying up of the damage continued throughout eastern Newfoundland as workers residents alike cleared downed trees and worked on roads.

Crews reopened a section of the Trans-Canada Highway in central Newfoundland Thursday, two days after Igor's potent winds and rains carved a deep crater in the main roadway.

Emergency workers brought in gravel and other supplies to fill a 20-metre wide and 20-metre deep hole that cut off traffic flow from one half of the province to the other.

One death

Police confirmed Thursday that the storm was linked to one fatality.

Adjusting expectations RCMP said the search for 80-year-old Allan Duffett on Random Island had been turned into a recovery mission since he had been missing for more than 48 hours.

RCMP Sgt. Boyd Merrill said the highway was opened at about 3:30 p.m. local time, but was initially open only to emergency vehicles carrying in supplies to the dozens of communities still cut off by road washouts and collapsed bridges.

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## A seven-year-old girl told guilty plea during a Thurs-

investigators she called for her mother to open the door to a closet where she and her siblings were locked away after realizing two of the children had died.

The mother, Somali immigrant Ebyan Farah, is charged with neglect and criminal confinement. A Marion County judge entered a preliminary not

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## **Pakistani** woman gets 86 years

Prosecutors called Aafia Siddigui a cold-blooded radical who deserved a life term Defence sought 12 years

A Pakistani scientist convicted of trying to kill U.S. agents and military officers has been sentenced to 86 years in prison. Aafia Sid-diqui was sentenced Thursday in Manhattan.

Siddiqui's strange legal odyssey began two summers ago in Afghanistan, where she turned up carrying evidence that - depending on the argument
— proved she was either a terrorist or a lunatic.

She was labelled an al-Qaida supporter and was brought to the U.S. after her July 2008 arrest in Afghanistan. She was convicted of grabbing a rifle and trying to shoot authorities while yelling, "Death to Americans!'



Prosecutors cited notes Siddiqui was carrying at the time of her detention. They quoted one as referencing a 'mass casualty attack' N.Y. monuments: Empire State Building, Statue of Liberty, Brooklyn Bridge," and another musing how a dirty bomb would spread more fear than death

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## **Tech fans Torched** by delays

The Blackberry Torch will not be released in Canada Friday after all.

Rogers announced that the release of the highly anticipated smartphone, which has a touchscreen

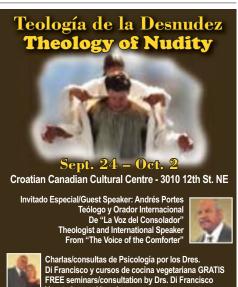


and a slide-out keyboard. has been delayed by Research In Motion.

Rogers now says it will be available starting Sept. 30. Bell had previously pushed back its release date to Oct. 1. But its website currently says "coming soon" and lists no specific date. Telus also had to push back its Torch launch and hasn't listed a new release date THE CANADIAN PRESS

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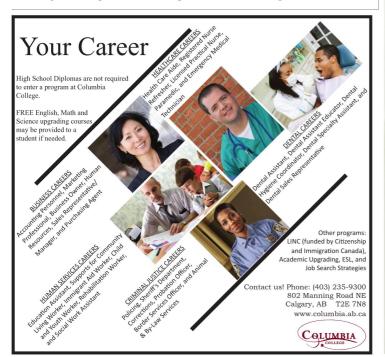


## Million-dollar painting, \$250 resale, \$50,000 in bail

When word spread in the New Mexico art community that a drawing by Vincent van Gogh valued at more than \$1 million had been stolen, it didn't take long for it to be spotted for sale in a consignment shop.

The man who authorities believe stole a priceless sketch last year of van Gogh's famous painting The Night Cafe sold it for \$250 then fled, police said.

Last month, the suspect turned up in Vermont, where he has been charged with burglarizing two homes. Edward Laird, 45, is being held on \$50,000 bail. It was not clear Thursday when he would be returned to New Mexico to face charges. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS





## Canada will be 'ready to serve,' Harper tells UN

PM cites 'heavy price' paid by our Afghan mission Solemn speech makes case for Security Council spot

Prime Minister Stephen Harper made an eloquent pitch Thursday for a seat on the powerful United Nations Security Council.

He highlighted Canada's commitment to the peaceful ideals held dear by the UN.

In a solemn speech to the UN General Assembly, he also evoked the sorrow and sacrifice — and the "heavy price" — of the Canadian mission in Afghanistan.

'We pay it ... with profound sorrow, in the priceless lives of our young men and women who there," Harper said.

He described Canada a founding member of the



UN and the seventh-largest contributor to its finances as a "consistently reliable and responsible participant in UN initiatives around the world.

Canada, Harper made clear, deserves one of two available berths on the Security Council, the UN's mightiest decision-making

"If we are elected, we will be ready to serve," he said

Officials have said Canada has a tough fight against Germany and Portugal to secure one of the seats.

Canada has typically held the seat once every decade since the late 1940s.

The race will be decided Oct. 12 when the 192 United Nations ambassadors cast a secret vote

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## She bops a bruin with a zucchini

A woman fended off a charging bear Thursday with ... a zucchini.

The woman heard a tussle in the backyard of her home near Frenchtown, Mont., an officer

She found a 90kilogram black bear attacking one of her two

dogs, a 12-year-old collie.

The woman screamed to divert the bear's attention from the dog.

She told police the bear then charged her, took a swipe at her and

tore her jeans.
The woman grasped the nearest object on her kitchen counter - a 30centimetre-long zucchi-

ni from her garden. She flung the zucchini at the bear.

It bopped the bruin on the top of its head and the animal fled. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



## Obama seeks peace in one year

U.S. President Barack Obama challenged the United Nations countries Thursday to unite around peace efforts that he said could achieve agreement within a year to create an independent Palestine and a secure Israel.

Obama, in a speech to the UN General Assembly, urged world leaders to push the quest for Mideast

Without an agreement, "more blood will be shed" and "this holy land will remain a symbol of our differences, instead of our common humanity.

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## **Layton blasts Tories, Grits**

NDP Leader Jack Layton is accusing the Tories and Liberals of using the gun registry as the worst kind of wedge politics.

The parties are purposely dividing rural and urban, he claimed.

In a speech to his caucus on the morning after some of his MPs switched their votes and saved the registry, Layton said he will work to make sure aboriginal and rural views are taken into account

scrap the gun registry failed by just two votes. MPs voted 153-151 to kill the bill.

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when reforming it.

He said the other parties have painted rural Canadians as thinking only about guns. In reality, they are more concerned about job loss, retirement and debt. THE CANADIAN PRESS



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## Street protests, strikes bring France to a halt

♠ A million people turn out from Lille in north to Marseille in south ♠ Sarkozy targets retirement age

French authorities estimated nearly one million protesters filled the streets Thursday to try to force President Nicolas Sarkozy to drop his plan to raise the retirement age two years to 62.

Strikes also disrupted airports, train stations and schools for the second time this month.

The protest movement has been a big test for Sarkozy, who — like other European leaders — has struggled to convince his country of the need for cost-cutting and scaling back social benefits.

France's powerful unions consider retirement at 60 to be a near-sacred right.

And Thursday more than 230 demonstrations stretched from the southern port city of Marseille to Lille in the north.

Some protesters carried signs demanding early retirement for Sarkozy,

"Today we have a pension, we deserve one, and we wish the same thing for the younger generation."

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whose dismal approval ratings hover in the mid-30s.

The Interior Ministry

The Interior Ministry said the protest movement had lost steam since the last day of protests Sept. 7, with 997,000 protesters in the streets, a drop of about 11 per cent.

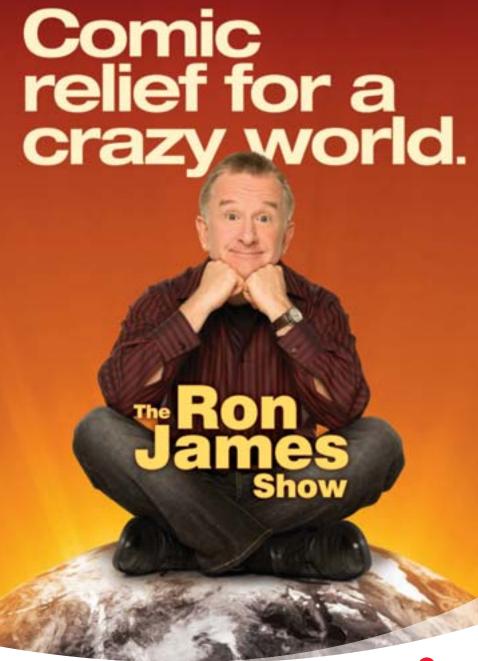
But unions said the movement grew to nearly three million protesters.

In Paris, one protester carried a sign reading, "Austerity? For the rich first!"

Vendors at the Bastille sold South African-style vuvuzelas.

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## Rape victim back in school

A 16-year-old girl police say was drugged and gangraped in a field while other teens took photographs that were later posted to Facebook has returned to school and is struggling to return to a normal teenage life.

The girl's parents issued a written statement on Thursday as the RCMP pleaded for more people who saw the assault at a large party near Vancouver two weeks ago to come forward.

Only two witnesses have contacted investigators.

"Our daughter is a very beautiful and brave individual," the girl's parents said in a statement distributed by the RCMP.

"She is strong. She has returned to school and is trying to get some normal-cy back in her life.

"There are a lot of kids out there supporting her, and that's also making a big difference." Police say the girl was assaulted at a rural party in Pitt Meadows, east of Vancouver. So far, there have been two arrests: A 16-year-old who could face child porn charges, and an 18-year-old for whom police are recommending charges of sexual assault. Both have been released.

The family, who can't be named to protect the identity of the girl, said they appreciated the support from the community and her school, but they need privacy as they heal

need privacy as they heal.

They also gratefully declined offers for donations to help their daughter:

"We do not in any way want to benefit financially from this tragedy."

Sgt. Peter Thiessen said the RCMP believe as many as a dozen people were watching the assault. THE CANDIAN PRESS

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## Case lost in translation: **Authorities**

Dealing with Chinese company is reason for delay in dead oilsands workers case, says Alberta government

Alberta says the complexity of dealing with a Chistate-owned corporation is behind the long delay in prosecuting companies charged in the deaths of two oilsands

workers.
"In this specific case there are multiple parties involved, one of which is located outside of Canada and maintains that they have not been served with charges," said Chris Chodan, a spokesman for Alberta Occupational Health and Safety. "It has made it more complicated for us. It makes it more difficult for us to get the procedure done.'

Genboa Ge and Hongliang Lui, both temporary foreign workers, died April 24, 2007, when the oil tank they were working on near Fort Mc-Murray collapsed. Other workers were injured.

Sinopec Shanghai Engineering Company Ltd., SSEC Canada Ltd. and Canadian Natural sources Ltd. face 53 charges in the deaths under Alberta's Occupational Health and Safety Act.

SSEC and Canadian National Resources are to go to trial Oct. 3, 2011 - almost four and a half years after the workers died the longest delay in Alberta for such a prosecution.

A labour group says Alberta usually takes about three years to prosecute workplace safety death when charges other provinces deal with such cases within one year to 18 months.

Gil McGowan, president of the Alberta Federation of Labour, said the province should make it clear to foreign companies that they must obey and abide by Alberta and Canadian laws if they want to operate here.

"The bottom line for us is that if workplace rules have been broken and if employees were unnecessarily put at risk, then the companies involved should be made to pay the price. It shouldn't matter where those companies are from," said McGowan.

McGowan noted that between 2006 and 2009 there were 142 deaths on Alberta work sites, but only four of those deaths led to convictions

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## Sinopec

- There is still no court date set for Sinopec because the corporation's managers in China have not been served with legal papers.
- The Alberta government says the delay has nothing to do with the fact that another division of Sinopec is investing in the oilsands, including a \$4.65-billion US stake in Syncrude.
- In a separate case involving Sinopec, Alberta **Employment Standards is** working with China to return \$3.17 million in wages that were taken from the bank accounts of 132 Chinese temporary workers in Alberta in 2007 who were employed at a Canadian Natural Resources project.



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## FCC opens unused airwayes

The U.S. Federal Communications Commission is opening up unused airwaves between television stations for wireless broadband networks that will be more powerful and can travel farther than today's Wi-Fi hotspots.

The five-member FCC voted unanimously Thursday to allow the

use of so-called "white spaces" between TV stations to deliver broadband connections that can function like Wi-Fi networks on steroids. The agency is calling the new technology "super Wi-Fi" and hopes to see devices with the new technology start to appear within a year.

The commission first voted to allow the use of white spaces for broadband nearly two years ago, but Thursday's vote ensures there is no interference with TV signals or wireless microphones.

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ing more to "encourage the local economy?" No thanks.

By spending more (too much) money on one item, you have less money left to spend at other local retailers. But, primarily, the very reason we are rich is that we trade. Chinese, German, Ontarian, or Québécois producers specialize in those areas where they excel. By exchanging our talents and resources, we gain access to a greater variety of cheaper, higher quality products. The more human beings who bring their talents and creativity to the table, the more society prospers. Buying locally reduces the number of participants. It deprives us of talent and stifles creativity.

A thought experiment: Imagine that the residents

## BUY-LOCAL PHILOSOPHY CAN CRAMP ECONOMY

of your city only bought locally for 10 years. Now imagine stepping through the door of your favourite store. What do you see on the shelves? Very little. Not surprising: In a "local" economy, we have to produce everything for ourselves. As our talents are limited, you can kiss goodbye to iPods, Harry Potter books or Spanish wines.

And where do we draw the line? If buying Ontario products is good for Ontario, then restricting our purchases to Toronto products should be even better for Toronto. If I live in Willowdale, do I need to make sure my money "stays" in Willowdale? If the residents of Newtonbrook West start buying local, must they stop shopping in Newtonbrook East?

It's serious. When

Barack Obama imposes his "Buy American" clause for road construction, he is telling American businesses: Buy local. And hundreds of Canadians lose their job.

A growing number of pundits and politicians want to convince us — if not force us — to buy local. Wrong.

An economy grows — and its members grow richer — when new, less expensive ways of producing goods are discovered, not when people pay more than they have to. Saying no to the talents of others is a sure way of making us all poorer.

David Descôteaux is a freelance economic journalist and an associate researcher at the Montreal Economic Institute (iedm.org)

## Different way to reduce debt

The dark cloud of bankruptcy looms over many Canadians, but for those not yet drowning, there's an alternative known as the consumer proposal.

It's a relatively new process that offers creditor protection while a portion of debt is repaid.

"(Proposals) work out well for the creditors because they're getting some money back, more money back than in a bankruptcy, and from the individual standpoint — it's not a bankruptcy," says Andy Fisher, a bankruptcy trustee.

Last September the federal government enacted legislation

145% A study Says Canadians' debt hangover is 145% of their disposable income.

made filing for bankruptcy more expensive and time consuming and consumer proposals more attractive.

Personal bankruptcies have fallen from peak levels reached during the recession last year — by 7.6 per cent for the first seven months of 2010.

The number of consumer proposals increased 30.6 per cent through to July, according to the Office of the Superintendent of Bankruptcies.

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## **Blockbuster Canada says it's stable**

Video rental giant Blockbuster Inc. is filing for bankruptcy protection in the United States, but its Canadian operations say they're not affected by the reorganization.

Blockbuster Canada vice-president and general manager Barry Guest said in a statement early Thursday that its operations are still profitable.

"Blockbuster Canada

independently of the U.S. and is financially stable," he said.

"We have the assets and cash flow to execute our business plan."

The troubled U.S. rental chain made a submission to the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in the Southern District of New York on Thursday, in which it outlined plans to recapitalize its balance sheet and transform its business model.

Once

home entertainment powerhouse in the United States, Blockbuster has been losing market share and money for years as more Americans rent DVDs from subscription service Netflix Inc. and popularity surged for streaming video over the Internet.

The company, which had warned investors it might file for bankruptcy protection, was delisted in early July by the New York Stock Exchange.

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buster plans to reduce debt from nearly US\$1 billion to about \$100 million or less by swapping debt for equity in a reorganized Blockbuster with bondholders that hold about 80.1 per cent of the company's senior notes.

Blockbuster said its 3,000 stores in the U.S., DVD vending kiosks, bymail and digital businesses will all continue to operate normally.

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## **MINUTES WITH:** GERI HALL

Geri Hall is the throatyvoiced redhead on the Halifax-based comedy show 22 Minutes. The show, with Hall, Mark Critch, Cathy Jones and Gavin Crawford, has opened its 18th season on CBC with episodes airing Tuesday nights. We spoke to Hall about the show, its longevity, and even handcuffs.

### Who is the funniest cast member?

We're all very different, and funny is in the eye of the beholder, but one of us definitely smells the funniest and one of us is definitely the funniest

looking. There's one clear standout in my mind for funniest in the head, but our challenges notwithstanding, I'd say we're all equally comical.

### Who is your favourite person to impersonate?

Someone who is good at these interviews, and Shakira.

### What can fans expect this season?

Well, Cuddy and House are in love but you can expect some complications .. but vou meant on 22 Minutes: Hilarity, controversy, parody, more road

pieces with politicians. And we all lost weight and got highlights this summer so that's nice,

## After 18 seasons, how do

you keep the show fresh? One of the most exciting things is we got some really cool new technical elements that were added to our set that are going to give the show a more authentic news look. But for pure freshness, I always trust Febreze.

You were handcuffed by the prime minister's security detail — is there any other

### politician you'd like to handcuff you?

Is Viggo Mortensen considered a politician? No, then Gilles Duceppe. French Canadians have this confidence and sexiness that the rest of us can't seem to muster so easily. They keep on threatening to leave us and that just make us want them to stay more, doesn't it?

Ever worry you'll run out of politicians to make fun of? Yeah, it keeps me up at night for about one second, then no, not at all. Jennifer taplin

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## No pink panthers, though



## Worth mentioning

U.S. wildlife biologists moved eight female panthers from Texas — close relatives yet genetically distinct — into south Florida 15 years ago in hopes of boosting reproduction, and the immigration paid off.

Now scientists have created an astonishingly in-depth family tree of today's panthers to prove the genetic mixing not only left a bigger population but also a healthier one — offering support for this type of conservation as biologists struggle to save pockets of rare species the world over.

"Our results have shown you can have a





positive impact on these endangered populations by doing this genetic restoration," said study co-author David Onorato, a research scientist with the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.

Indeed, many of the world's remaining lions and tigers live in very small groups where

inbreeding may threaten their health just like it threatened the Florida panthers, and might benefit from similar "genetic rescues," said Stuart Pimm, a conservation biologist at Duke Universitv. He was not part of the new study but has separately tracked the panther program. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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## **Metro Minute at UFest 2010 concert**

Back to school starts with fun, food, drink and music at Mount Royal University's UFest 2010 outdoor concert Friday. UFest 2010 is an outdoor concert to welcome students back at Mount Royal University's TransCanada outdoor amphitheatre from 3-8 p.m. As part of a set of new annual events that marks 100 years of the institution's

influence on the community of south Calgary, the outdoor Mount Royal features international recordartist k-os. opening acts Fred Penner, and Daniel Wesley.

Tickets can be bought at the Liberty Lounge for stu-dents with Mount Royal University ID cards start-

## Three days to play

WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS THIS WEEKEND WITH WARM WEATHER



## **Kvle Gordon**

My other full-time job, which is chauffeuring my kids. We'll be out riding our horse.



## **Cody Stuart**

I'm going to try to go to the film fest if possible. A patio and a beer wouldn't be a bad idea and maybe if my buddy is up to it, a hike.

## Lovable losers are back in action

● Headbangers Terry and Dean head to the oilsands of northern Alberta in the sequel to cult comedy Fubar ● Duo's relationship strained over a girl and plenty of property damage



When Fubar came out in 2002, nobody expected it to become the massive cult hit that it did — including writer and director Michael Dowse.

"When we got into Sundance (Film Festival) was the moment when we were like, 'oh, this might actually be working,'" recalled Dowse recently about the comedy featuring Terry and Dean — two lovable headbanger losers from Alberta. "Our original plan was to just send it out on VHS tapes and see if it would multiply."

Multiply it has. In the eight years that have passed since Fubar came out, Dowse made the award-winning mockumentary, It's All Gone Pete Tong and even filmed his first big-budget Hollywood film, Kids in America starring Topher Grace and Anna Faris (hitting theatres in March). However, for all that experience in Tinseltown, Dowse felt nostalgic for Fubar.

"The advantage of working in Hollywood is that you get all the tools you want," said Dowse of returning to the low-budget world of Fubar II. "The flip side of it is just have more cooks in the kitchen and with this, you get a little bit less in terms of what you can do with a lesser budget but you have no cooks in the



kitchen which is nice."

Now fresh off a hot run at the Toronto International Film Fest, Fubar II sets Terry and Dean upon the oilsands in northern Alberta where the duo's relationship is strained over a girlfriend and plen-

ty of property damage.

"I think everyone's had a friendship like that," said Dowse of the pair's wide appeal. "One guy's an idiot and other one takes care of him and they're together through thick and thin."

## **Goon comedy**

▶ In October, Dowse will begin filming Goon, a comedy co-written by Jay Baruchel and starring Seann William Scott. "The project's basically about a

Jewish bouncer who gets touched by the fist of God and becomes an enforcer in a junior hockey league. It's got like three of my favourite things — violence, comedy and hockey — so I'm thrilled."

scene

**News in brief** 



Angelina Jolie has chosen young Bosnian actress Zana Marjanovic for the lead role in her directorial debut - a wartime love story between a **Bosnian woman** and a Serbian man. Marjanovic said the screenplay was "fabulous" and she could not wait to start shooting with such a "great actress an humanist" like Jolie.





## **Movie review**

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## Wall Street needs more Gekko

Wall Street: The Money Never Sleeps Genre: Drama Director: Oliver Stone Stars: Michael Douglas, Shia LaBeouf, Carey Mulligan

Gordon Gekko, the personification of 80s greed, has returned several decades after his award-winning debut. Oliver Stone never seemed like a filmmaker interested in franchises, but he found the opportunity to bring back Gekko amidst the current economic climate impossi-

## The original

In 1987's Wall Street, Charlie Sheen played Bud Fox, a Wall Street stockbroker who meets with Gekko, who takes the youth under his wing and explains his philosophy that "Greed is Good." ble to resist.

For the first hour or so, it's easy to see why. The character is incredibly entertaining and seems to elevate Michael Douglas as an actor. Stone clearly has a lot of fun reviving Gekko in a new era, cheekliy having him write a book in prison called "Is Greed Good?"

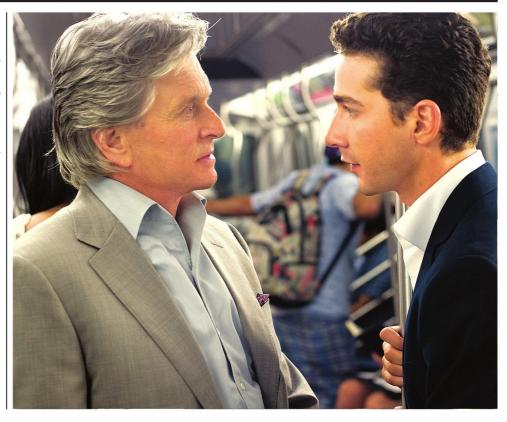
But once the novelty wears off and the in-jokes run their course, there really isn't anything important in the movie that wasn't covered last time.

The main problem is that the focus isn't on Gekko, but on a new Wall Street hot shot, played by the underwhelming Shia LaBeouf, and his relationship with Gekko's daughter. Endless drawn out relationship scenes distract from Stone's capitalist critique and it even absurdly transforms Gekko into a good man by the end.

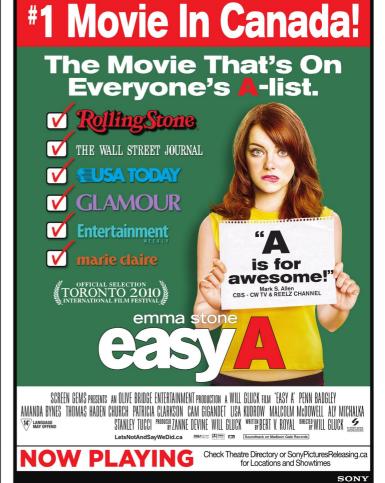
Whenever the boys are talking business the movie has bite, but there are too many distractions from the sidelines.

Despite the talent involved, this is just another superfluous sequel.

PHIL BROWN







## **Movie review**

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## You've seen this movie before

You Again Genre: Comedy Director: Andy Fickman Stars: Kristen Bell, Jamie Lee Curtis, Sigourney Weaver,

Really, the women of "You Again" should just get over it.

They should move on from the resentments, jeal-ousies and grudges they've held onto since high school and embrace the people they've become today — even if what they've developed into are stock characters in a lame, PGrated comedy.

Instead, they try and tear each other apart in the most crass, slapsticky manner possible. Sure, it's only a movie, and so any sense of indignation in watching it is probably misplaced. But You Again unfortunately perpetuates all the worst cliches about women being

insecure, petty, spiteful, competitive and cruel, and it does it in the name of comedy — which is a problem, because it's pretty

much never funny.
What's truly disheartening: It was written by a woman, Moe Jelline, with her first produced screenplay.
You Again begins in

You Again begins in 2002, with uber-nerd Marni Olivia Olsen (Kristen Bell) looking into the camera and describing how awful high school is. She's constantly tormented by uber-mean girl Joanna (Odette Yustman), the gorgeous head cheerleader. But that bullying makes her stronger, and eventually she ditches the glasses, pimples and stringy hair and looks like ... Kristen Bell.

Now, Marni's a rising public relations executive. But as she heads back to her small town in Northern California for her brother's wedding, she realizes at the last minute who the bride is: Joanna. How this discovery never

took place prior to a phone call on the airplane en route back home is totally implausible, but whatever.

If only the characters had used their brains to cook up revenge against each other for ancient slights, that might have seemed more tolerable. Here, if there's a stack of plates, you know they're going to get thrown. If there's a vat of soup, it's getting dumped on someone's head.

You Again is that kind of movie. Director Andy Fickman (She's the Man) telegraphs his jokes and sight gags from a mile away, with plenty of jaunty music to accompany the antics; later on, generically heartwarming music will swell as the characters reconcile. Come to think of it, there are no surprises to be had here at all.

The actresses do give it their all, though, and a few moments between Sigourney Weaver and Jamie Lee Curtis make you long for a smarter, more substantial film. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS





## Stunning, but not original

Legend of the Guardians: The Owls of Ga'Hoole Genre: Fantasy Director: Zack Snyder

Zack Snyder's latest, Legend of the Guardians: the Owls of Ga'Hoole, is visually stunning, a feat of animation technology and the best used of 3-D since Avatar made it a requirement for every studio tentpole.

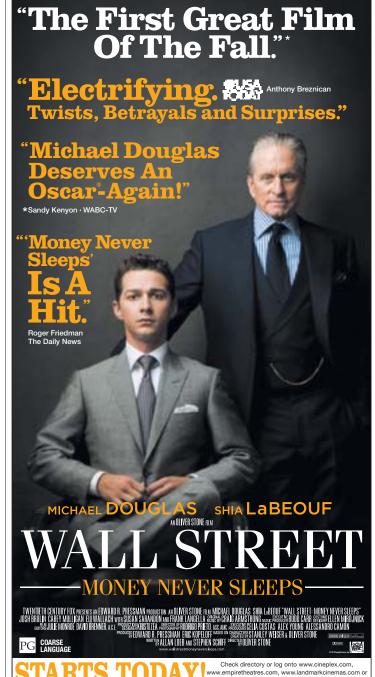
It's just a shame that

the story isn't half as good as the visual artistry deserves. Based on a series of successful kids' books called "the Guardians of Ga'Hoole," the film follows a young owl — yes, an owl — as he goes on a standard-issue hero's journey to become one of the Guardians he's idolized since he was an egg.

egg.
Part of why the story falls short is the fact that the hero's journey template has been done pretty much to death.
Parts of Legend of the Guardian come so close to an all-owl production of Lord of the Rings or Star

Wars that it's hard not to roll your eyes.

Another reason is, between the Australian and British accents and the odd names for characters, places and objects, it's hard to keep track of pretty much anything, leaving the viewer spend-ing the first few seconds of each scene trying to remember which owl is which — and there are a lot of them. Interesting names like Ga'Hoole, Strix Struma and Otulissa might work on the page. but to an audience unfamiliar with them, the owls might as well just be hooting. O NED EHRBAR



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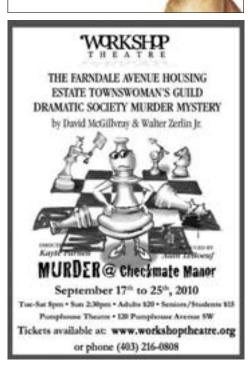
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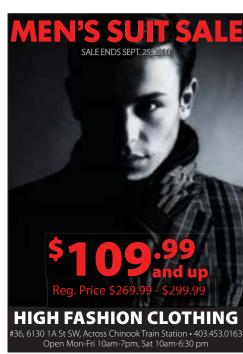
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## SOME SEQUELS ARE YEARS IN COMING



This weekend's Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps took so long to hit screens that I would bet younger audience members may not even realize it is a sequel.

wenty three years have passed since the original film won an Academy Award for lead actor Michael Douglas and a Razzie for supporting actress Daryl Hannah which means that many current second year university students weren't even born when Gordon Gekko made

the words "Greed is good" famous.

Twenty-three years is a stretch but it is more common than you think for years, and sometimes even decades to pass between source and sequel.

Return to Oz, based on the second and third Oz books and made 46 years after the classic MGM film, picks up the story six



months after Dorothy returned to Kansas. The film held a Guinness Book of World Records notation as the sequel with the longest gap from its original until it was bumped off by Fantasia/2000, which came a whooping 59 years after Fantasia.

Not record breaking, but still substantial are The Color of Money, which trailed The Hustler by 25 years and An American Werewolf in Paris which bounded into theatres 16 years after An American Werewolf in London.

Sci-fi fans also had to wait 16 years for the follow up to 2001 A Space Odyssey. 2010: The Year We Make Contact featured a whole new cast (save for Douglas Rain who reprised his role as the voice of HAL 9000) but original director Stanley Kubrick was given a cameo of sorts. He can be seen as the Soviet premier on the cover of Time magazine.

Speaking of directors, it's unusual for the original director to come back and direct a sequel a decade later, but Troy Duffy, stuck to his guns (literally) and ten years after The Boondock Saints came The Boondock Saints II: All Saints Day. "To me, the successful sequels in the past have given you everything you've loved from the first film, plus a brand-new storyline that you could never have predicted," said Duffy. Oliver Stone, who had

Oliver Stone, who had never made a sequel to any of his films before remounting Wall Street, seems to have followed Duffy's advice filling his new film with touchstones from the original, but let's hope he's joking when he says, "I should go back and do 'Son of Scarface' or something!"

## **Madge fan charged**

A retired New York City firefighter yearning to meet Madonna has been accused of scrawling messages of adoration on the sidewalk outside her apartment building and possessing a 7 1/2-inch ice pick.

Robert Linhart is charged with graffiti and criminal possession of an ice pick recovered from his car. He's also charged with resisting arrest outside the building near Central Park.

The grizzled 59-yearold was arraigned Wednesday in Manhattan Criminal Court. A judge set his bail at \$20,000 cash.

Defence lawyer Cheryl Bader tells the Daily News there was "no threatening conduct" and it's "not a crime to adore Madonna," the singer of pop hits including Like a Virgin and Material Girl.

Police say Linhart was arrested Tuesday while spray-painting messages to the singer and asking to meet her.

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### What You Need

1 lb. (450 g) lean ground beef

1 large onion, chopped

2 cups chunky salsa

1 can (19 fl oz/540 mL) black beans, rinsed

1/4 cup Kraft Zesty Italian Dressing

2 Tbsp. chili powder

6 medium flour tortillas 1/2 cup sour cream

1 cup Kraft Tex Mex Shredded Cheese

### Make it

HEAT oven to 400°F.

BROWN meat with onions in large skillet on medium-high heat; drain. Stir in next 4 ingredients.

PLACE 3 tortillas in single layer on bottom of 13x9-inch baking dish. Cover with layers of half each of the meat mixture, sour cream and cheese. Repeat layers: cover.

BAKE 40 min. or until casserole is heated through and cheese is melted, uncovering after 30 min. Let stand 5 min.

Special Extra Top with chopped tomatoes, shredded lettuce and chopped cilantro just before serving.

Nutrition Information Per Serving: 400 calories, 18g total fat, 8g saturated fat, 50mg cholesterol, 990mg sodium, 38g carbohydrate, 7g dietary fibre, 5g sugars, 23g protein, 15%DV vitamin A, 8%DV vitamin C, 15%DV calcium, 25%DV iron.

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## Bourdain in the Raw

Celebrity chef and acerbic They haven't really figured epicure Anthony Bourdain has some kind words for Canadian gastronomy, saying it's at a "very high levand the rest of the world should be more aware of that.

it out yet either, why that

Foie gras from Quebec's La Ferme Palmex is one of two "industry standards" in North America, he notBourdain: No Reservations, which begins filming a new season next month.

Creating a "personality" is, for better or worse, a necessity these days for chefs due to the growing popularity of TV cooking shows and food bloggers, said Bourdain, 54, who's worked in kitchens around the world and written several other books.

Bourdain touches on that topic in Medium Raw: A Bloody Valentine to the World of Food and the People Who People which Cook. came out in June.

Written with that bit-ing Bourdain intellect that's made him a beloved "bad boy" of the culinary world, Medium Raw is a follow-up to his 2000 best-Kitchen Confiden-

mean, the food here is good," the witty TV personality and author known for his blunt culinary criticisms — said in an interview this week in Toronto, where he had a speaking engagement at Roy Thomson Hall and promoted his new bestseller Medium Raw.

"I don't really understand why, with all these really great chefs and great ingredients, why Canada doesn't have a higher international profile because it seems a natural," he continued between bites of a prosciutto sandwich in the office of HarperCollins Canada.

"I don't know whether it's a failure of promotion or what. I get a lot of shrugs, because it's something I'm asking chefs.

while also praising . Canada's cheese makers and Montrealbased chef Martin Picard, host of The Wild Chef on Food Network Canada.

"You should sending these people out on the road ... and backing them up with money and products, and products," said the Top Chef judge and host of the food-travel series Anthony



Celebrity chef Anthony Bourdain.

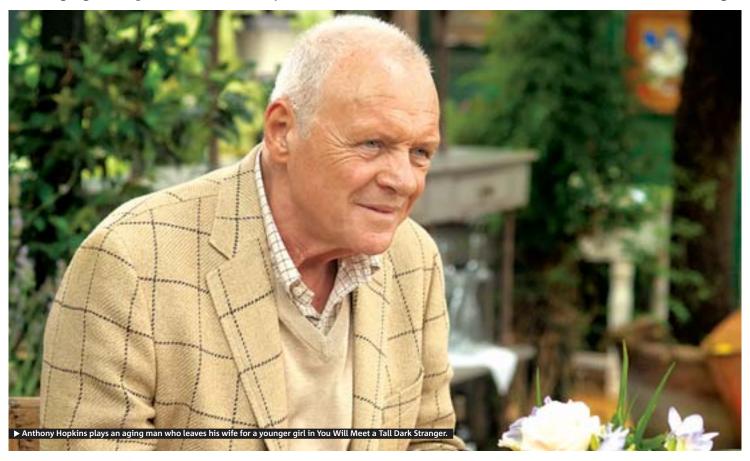
tial. which aim at some famous chefs and outlined lurking perils of eating out.

The new book updates fans on what's changed in the world of culinary science and food journalism, and in Bourdain's private life, since Kitchen Confidential came out THE CANADIAN PRESS

## Juicy stuff

Medium Raw also offers juicy insider stories, "food porn" passages, Bourdain's thoughts on cookery trends and, of course, criticisms of a few food journalists and culinary celebrities. One chapter is devoted entirely to the hypocrisies Bourdain sees in California-based "food activist" Alice Waters.

## Acting legend Hopkins in awe of Woody Allen Stars in director's new film You Will Meet a Tall Dark Stranger





Sir Anthony Hopkins does a hilarious Woody Allen impres-



I don't know if he'd appreciate my impersonation." And though Hopkins

himself is something of an acting legend, he still gets starstruck.

"He's a great star," Hop-kins says of his director. "He waľks into a room and everyone stops, everyone wants to be with him. On the set, I had to get over the fact that it's Woody Allen. Whenever I was

talking to Woody Allen."
It's no wonder his impression is so good, as Hopkins has had time to study: He stars in Allen's latest film, You Will Meet a Tall Dark Stranger, as Alfie, whose fear of mortality drives him to walk out on his marriage and pick up with a much younger gal.

"The part was an easy part for me to play because I'm that age," Hopkins ad-

mits.
"Although through my midlife crisis some years back. Whatever that means. Is there such a thing? I guess there is. For men, especially.

When pressed about how exactly he relates to Alfie, the celebrated actor isn't afraid of offering an embarrassing anecdote or

"My wife is younger than me, so she always wants me to look good. So I stay in shape and I diet and I do all of that stuff, because she wants me to be around for a long time,' he says.

"But she said, 'Do you know what would be fun?' We were about to exchange a car. We had a car which was falling apart. She said, 'How about a Porsche?' I said, 'OK, a Porsche.' So this Porsche arrived, and I couldn't even get into it."

Trouble with sports cars aside, Hopkins isn't fazed by getting older. In fact,

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SIR ANTHONY HOPKINS

he welcomes it.

"I'm going to be 73 at the end of this year, and I'm glad I'm not young anymore. My wife likes to watch Access Hollywood. I'm watching thinking, 'God almighty, how boring," he says with a laugh.
"I'm glad it's all over. I've done it."

As it turns out, this new outlook extends beyond the entertainment industry to the world at large for Hopkins.

"It's always been tough place," he says. "I was watching the news the other day, and I thought, 'I've heard all this before.' And then the commercial breaks come and you switch to something else, another news channel, switch to a film you know, then back to the same. And everyone's got this look on their faces like, 'How worried should we be? Maybe an asteroid's going to crash into the Earth.' And just think, 'Shut up. Just shut

sion. A noted Hopkins jumps into a stuttering. neurotic riff on the famous filmmaker with the littlest prodding.

"He's my favourite actor. I mean, I've watched him for 40 years," Hopkins says. "I think he's a genius.

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# When the Law comes calling

Movie star Howard shifts to TV with role in Law & Order: Los Angeles
 Not a negative career move: Actor



Terrence Howard says he's aware television can be viewed as a negative career move for a movie actor. But when the TV show is Law & Order: Los Angeles, the opportunity can be too good to resist.

"The only hesitation is from yourself — the fear that someone is going to think that your brand is diminished in someway," says Howard, who made a brief stop in Toronto to promote the new series.

"But your brand actually expands when you get to work with someone like (Law and Order creator) Dick Wolf. There's a huge gap between so-called writing and true writing. You actually treasure a call from someone who stands for the truth."

Howard — best known for movies like Hustle and Flow, Crash and Iron Man — says he looks forward to the rigors of mak-

"Instead of sitting for three, four months between films and getting stale, my (acting) chops are getting sharper on a day-to-day basis. And I'm also able to grow as a person because there's a confidence that comes from knowing you have a job."

TERRENCE HOWARD

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In the new L&O series, Howard



tabloids for inspirahas been a busy one. Upcoming projects include Winnie, in which Howard

tion.
"Now you'll
be able to see the
story behind every
word of The Enquirer," he

says. "Instead of picking up The Star, you can watch Law and Order and see the re-enactment."

Since his Oscar nom for

tle and Flow in 2005, Howard's career

► Terrence Howard has played major roles in films such as Hustle & Flow and Crash.

Nelson Mandela opposite Jennifer Hudson. Still, Howard's success has come with a downside.

"The opportunity for work is there but the greater disappointment is also there," says Howard. "It's the same game.

"It's the same game. You're still basically auditioning. You just don't have to show up in the room."

Law and Order: Los Angeles premieres September 29 at 10 p.m. on CTV.

District Attorney Joe Dekker alongside Deputy DA Alfred Molina. As for plot, it's the same police/courtroom ing premise, albeit with a de-

As for plot, it's the same police/courtroom premise, albeit with a decidedly different class of criminals and court cases. Howard says that while the New York-based Law and Order was inspired by the headlines of the blue collar New York Post, Los Angeles L&O will use celebrity-obsessed

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## () Mathedia a

Actor Joaquin Phoenix returned to David Letter-Late Show on man's Wednesday to apologize for his wacky appearance last year that turned out to be an elaborate piece of performance art.

"You've interviewed many, many people and I assumed that you would know the difference between a character and a real person, so — but I apologize,"

"I assumed that you would know the difference between a character and a real person, so but I apologize." JOAQUIN PHOENIX TO DAVID LETTERMAN

Phoenix was clean-cut and shaven Wednesday, without the shaggy beard, unruly hair and sunglasses he wore

hit your head in the tub." Instead, Phoenix was

playing a role for filmmaker friend Casey Affleck. The fake documentary on Phoenix's "career change," called I'm Still Here, just hit theatres.

At Letterman's urging, Phoenix made clear that the talk-show host was not in on the joke.

"We'd hoped to come on a talk show," Phoenix said with a laugh, "and I was looking

glasses at the end of the appearance as he was shaking Letterman's hand.

"I was eager to thank you for the opportunity and I was really eager to get off the show," he said.

Affleck, who appeared with Jay Leno on the Tonight show Tuesday, said no one from Holmade fun of." He told Phoenix that "now I want some money" and demanded \$1 million dollars for his role in the ruse.

Phoenix promised

'We'll go to one your

"work out" and asked to talk about it privately.

screenings,' Letterman shot back. Maybe the demand for money was Letterman's own version of performance art. Or maybe not.

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Phoenix said. "I hope I didn't offend you in any way.'

No offence taken, Letterman replied. The chance to lob jokes at Phoenix was batting practice, he said.

"Every one of them was a dinger," he said.

Feb. 11, 2009, when he told a befuddled Letterman that he was giving up acting for a rap career. Describing appearance Wednesday, Letterman said it was "like you slipped and

beat down, and I got one ... I want to thank you for that."

Phoenix, who said the experience of making the movie was "really gratify-ing," revealed that Affleck was angry with him for briefly taking off his sun-

wood called to express concern about Phoenix when he

was acting strangely. "Afterward, the movie comes out, the critics like to say, 'this is crazy, this is disturbing, this is sick," he said. "But while it's happening, people were happy just to mock him and make fun of him."

Letterman, who became a key part of the movie, said that, "somehow I get the sense that I had been





## I'm made of the studio, Lanois says

## Even near fatal crash can't stop Canadian producer, musician

Nestled in an industrial corridor of Toronto's west side, a lowdio," he says with a smile. How much time is

slung old building with chipped off-white bricks and a bright red door conceals Daniel Lanois's new cathedral of sound.

The building used to be a Buddhist temple. Lanois bought it years ago and renovated it, and he's here now preparing for his ambitious Nuit Blanche installation.

He's also only a few days away from the release of Neil Young's Le Noise, which Lanois produced, and a little over a month from the debut release from Lanois's Black Dub

It seems like a lot for someone still recovering from a near-fatal motorcycle accident, but Lanois says he wouldn't have it any other way.

"I'm made of the stu-

spending there, exactly?
"How much time am I

spending in the studio? I don't know — 47 years?" he replies with a laugh. "I think if you were to

open me up you'd probably

find equipment in there."

The healing process since Lanois's June accident

has been a long one.

The crash occurred as Lanois navigated the scenic Silverlake enclave of Los Angeles atop his dazzling BMW HP2 Megamoto — a two-cylinder Supermoto with a sleek blue frame and white tank.

Suddenly, a car in front of him pulled into the parking lot of a variety store and Lanois hopped up onto the curb to evade the other driver. He smashed into a telephone box and when he came to, he was lying on side-

onlookers called for an ambulance.

Lanois suffered a fractured collarbone and pelvis, six broken ribs and a troublesome amount of internal bleeding.

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He's still dealing with

ramifications from the inci-

dent. He says there's a twist in the bone on eight different ribs, which didn't

mend properly. His lung ca-

pacity isn't what it used to

be either, though he says

that he expects to recover

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again after months Hamilton-

raised superproducer — best known for his work with U2 and Bob Dylan says he now has good days and bad. This was a bad day, but he shrugged away expressions of concern.
"I think we'll be all

right," said Lanois, clad in a grey cashmere V-neck sweater and black skinny jeans, with his shaggy beard inching up to the edges of his cheekbones.

"I just want to keep doing good work. That's what I do. Or hopefully."

Lanois is particularly proud of his Black Dub collective, whose debut release is expected to drop in November.

The project seamlessly integrates elements of dub, trip hop, soul and rock. It occasionally brings to mind the alley-crawling din of The xx or Portishead, but vocalist Trixie Whitley's unchained vocals lend the self-titled record a unique

The album was recorded largely live off the floor, without overdubs. Lanois says he was able to work that way mostly because of Whitley, whom the producer has known since she was two years old. He said her talent made studio trickery

necessary. "I was a friend of her dad's and that's re-

ally the connection," said Lanois, referring to the late musician Chris Whitley, who died in 2005.

"It was a chance en-counter with Trixie and her mom in Belgium when Brian Blade and I had a show out there. She said, 'I'm singing now.' I heard her sing, and she was a very special singer and all-around writer, a great writer — just a force, a great force."

Whitley will join Lanois in Toronto for his Oct. 2 performance at Nuit Blanche, an all-night art festival which features installations across the city. THE CANADIAN PRESS

## Sonic art

Lanois will place 24 speaker towers around Nathan Phillips Square in downtown Toronto to create what he calls "an enchanted forest of sonics and visuals." The multi-disciplinary installation will require him to perform for 12 hours straight. "I might have to take a leak every now and then, but I'll be there," he vows.

## Chesney raises glass

## • Country superstar's new album Hemingway's Whiskey out soon

Kenny Chesney said he was taking a break. He didn't say he was taking it

Just about everybody assumed country music's top-drawing act would really slow down after he made the surprising announcement he was taking the year off from touring. After all, who should know more about relaxing than country's Caribbean cowboy, the man who rivals Jimmy Buffett when it comes to songs about sandy beaches and frosty beverages? Buddy Can-

"Hopefully when people listen to Hemingway's Whiskey, they can feel it's pretty fresh sounding."

KENNY CHESNEY

knew better, though.

"Knowing him the way I do, I didn't really see him taking a yearlong rest," Chesney's longtime producer said. "He ended up working more than he would've

worked had he been out on tour."

problem? After more than 15 years of constant motion, Chesney is proving he really doesn't know how to relax.

Sure, he visited a few exotic locales and logged some time on his boat. But his What I Did On My Summer Vacation essay includes precious little actual vacation. He com-pulsively filled his time by making two movies — a 3concert film, which

came out last spring, and the Boys Of Fall football documentary, which recently aired on ESPN (a longer version will be released at a later date).

He also .... labour-intensive album, whiskey, He also made Hemingway's Whiskey, which comes out next week. It was a rewarding experience, but Chesney admits he still needs a lot of saltwater therapy. Yet, Chesney did not appear at low ebb during a pair of recent interviews. He was excited about his projects.

Chesney and Cannon began working on songs for the al-bum in Janu-



2009. Chesney came off the road later that year in October and really started tinkering, taking the album in unexpected directions. At one point, Cannon thought they were done. But Chesney decided he wasn't happy with the songs and they pitched

about half the album. Soon after the call went out for songs on Music Row.

"Having more time and having the whole town pitch us every new song they got for eight or nine months couldn't do anything but help raise the bar," Cannon said.

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## Sesame Street pulls Katy Perry

## Saucy singer deemed too risqué for young viewers after wearing low-cut top during taped segment

Katy Perry's planned visit to Sesame Street has been cancelled.

The pop singer filmed a segment for the famed children's show wearing a low-cut, bustier-style top, igniting a storm of angry comments when the taped segment was previewed on YouTube, with some viewers claiming she exposed herself.

The clip has drawn thousands of hits since being posted on YouTube

"In light of the feedback we've re-ceived on the Katy Perry music video, which was released on You Tube only, we have decided we will not air the segment on the television broad-



cast of Sesame Street, is aimed at preschoolers,"

The segment, in which wearing a flowered veil — chases El-mo, was earmarked for the show's upcoming 41st season.

celebrities Other scheduled to appear as guests on the long-running chil-dren's series this dren's series season, which begins Sept. 27, in-clude talk show host Oprah Win-

frey, actor Colin Farrell and singer Usher. THE ASSOCIATED

## Franco not a Twilight fan

James Franco admits he has read the Twilight

"I wouldn't say I enjoy them, but I'm fascinated with them," Franco says.
One part of the series he definitely didn't like came in the fourth volume, Bella and Edward finally consummate their relationship.

was kind of a letdown after all that buildup." • METRO



## **Talking points**

## Are they back on again?

ROMANCE? With his Twitter account shut down, John Mayer is turning to his official reps to address rumors that he and Jennifer Aniston are dating again. "John is single. These reunion rumors are 100-percent fabricated," says his rep. METRO

## **Pattinson too** 'nice' to judge

REALITY DREAM. Twilight

Robert Pattinson admits he'd love to sit in on X-Factor, but he thinks he's just

too much of a nice guy for the singing competition reality show.

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## **Celebrity tweets**



David Archuleta [@David

Archiel A cute little old lady comes up and pokes me, "I just needed to touch you so I could tell my granddaughter." Ha



**Steve Mar**tin [@Steve

Reading other people's Tweets, I'm getting the hang of it. 9:23 a.m.: cleaning toenails.

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## Fall grilling perfect for burgers

Grilling season isn't over yet and these inside out sirloin bacon cheeseburgers would be a tasty treat during a fall weekend.

The cheese is taken underground for easier grill management.

## **Preparation:**

### **Bacon Cheeseburgers**

- In a bowl, combine beef, egg, garlic, cheese, bacon, breadcrumbs, onion, Worcestershire Sauce and rosemary.
- Divide meat into 6 portions. Form into 2-cm (3/4-inch) thick patties. . Make a thumb-print depression in centre of each patty (to pre-vent rounding while they grill). Make ahead: Refrigerate, covered for 1 hour or up to 1
- Grill over medium heat on preheated, oiled grill for 5 to 7 minutes per side, testing doneness with a digital instant-read thermometer inserted sideways into centre of each patty to ensure patties are cooked to 71 C (160

Top with melted mushrooms and onions (if desired).

## **Tasty Topping**

Combine 1 sweet onion (such as vidalia), sliced, 500



ml (2 cups) sliced mushrooms and 15 ml (1 tbsp) olive oil

Season with salt and pepper to taste; cook, stirring occasionally in non-stick skillet over medium heat

for 10 to 15 minutes or until vegetables are golden and tender

Stir in 30 ml (2 tbsp) steak sauce, heat through

Makes 6 servings. THE CANADIAN PRESS

## Ingredients:

## **Bacon Cheeseburgers**

- 500 g (1 lb) lean ground beef sirloin
- 1 egg, lightly beaten
- 1 clove garlic, minced • 125 ml (1/2 cup) shredded aged cheddar cheese
- 50 ml (1/4 cup) diced ba-
- con (uncooked)
- 50 ml (1/4 cup) breadcrumbs
- 50 ml (1/4 cup) minced onions
- 30 ml (2 tbsp) worcester-
- 5 ml (1 tsp) minced fresh rosemary

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## **Tamarind**

Tamarind pulp is eaten to promote good digestion and is a good source of fibre. It contains high level of vitamin C for a strong immune system, helping ward off colds and suppressing fever. The fruit pulp is also a great source of antioxidants, a natural defence against cancer. Furthermore, it's a great way of getting more potassium and . magnesium in your system. ROMINA MCGUINESS



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## A trendy shot glass dessert



The trend to using shot glasses for everything from soup to desserts is really catching on.

Using 75-ml (2 1/2-oz) shooters, pound cake, blueberries and lemon curd are layered and topped with whipped cream. guests will love them.

Preparation: Blueberry Lemon Shooters

Into 12 shot glasses, layer half of the cake crumbs, lemon curd and blueberries. Repeat. Top with a swirl of whipped cream. Refrigerate until ready to serve.

Makes 12 servings.

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## Ingredients:

- 375 ml (1 1/2 cups) pound cake crumbs
- 375 ml (1 1/2 cups)
- prepared lemon curd • 375 ml (1 1/2 cups) fresh blueberries
- 250 ml (1 cup) whipped

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pitches good on that night. We

## QB or not

the QB Quandary. Whatever it's called, the NFL position that normally needs more stability than any is in a state of flux from coast to coast.

Nine teams — Buffalo, Jacksonville, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Tennessee, Oakland, Philadelphia, Carolina and Detroit — already have used their backup quarterback. Some of the moves were because of injuries, but five clubs already have turned to No. 2 by choice, even if just temporarily.

So what in the name of Peyton and Eli Manning, Tom Brady and Drew Brees is going on?

"It is getting tougher and tougher to play the position, not only from a physical standpoint of throwing the ball, but from a mental standpoint and what you are seeing from defences," said Ron Jawors-ki, the former Eagles starter and now ESPN's an-alyst for Monday night football games. No one watches more film of quarterbacks than Jaworski, which gives him particular insight into the upheaval at the position through just two weeks of the schedule.

"You always will have the elite guys, but once you start getting beyond No. 12 or 13, it's hard to find the other 19 consistent quarterbacks in this league."

Two starters, Jacksonville's David Garrard and Tennessee's Vince Young, are in no dan-ger of losing their jobs despite being taken out last Sunday during losses. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



# QB or not QB? NFL clubs find position hard to fill Call it the QB Shuffle. Or the QB Quandary. Backlund up backlund up for challenge

Young forward keen to make most of opportunity to move up Flames depth chart 21-year-old Swede was team's 24th overall pick in 2007



After putting up 10 points in 23 games with the Calgary Flames last season, Mikael Backlund has his sights set on making a much bigger impact this

With centre Matt Stajan out indefinitely due to a shoulder separation, Backlund has moved higher up the depth chart and is excited about making the most of his opportunity.

"You never want to see a teammate go down and be injured," Backlund said. "Hopefully, he'll be back soon. It happened and we've got to look forward

## Up next

Calgary's pre-season schedule will continue with home games against the Tampa Bay Lightning Saturday and the Phoenix Coyotes Tuesday.

now. For me, of course, it looks better.

"I get more opportuni-ties now and I'm just going to go out and play like I did before, just work hard."

At practice Thursday, Backlund was on a line with Rene Bourque and prospect Jon Rheault. The

latter was filling in for Hagman, missed his second straight practice with what the club called ... "general maintenance.

Backlund, a 21-year-old Swede, was selected by the Flames with the 24th overall pick in the 2007 NHL en-

Calgary coach Brent Sut-ter said Backlund has to keep playing his style of game and build off of that.

"He's a young kid," Sut-ter said. "You can't force it with him. He's got to find his way and we'll help him through that. He just needs

to keep playing like he's playing.'

Sutter added Backlund is a well-rounded player. "I think he showed last

year when he came in and played here," he said. "He didn't look out of place at all and he got thrown into some key situations and key spots. That's going to be no different for him right now at this point in time.

Backlund scored a shorthanded goal Tuesday as the Flames edged the visiting Vancouver Canucks 3-2 in pre-season play.

## **One game, two milestones**

Jose Bautista swings the bat with all his might, turning on pitches with a brute force that sends scorching line drives hundreds of feet

Ichiro Suzuki swings his bat like a tennis racket, angling pitches to open spots on the baseball diamond.

Thursday afternoon, before a sparse gathering of 12,590 at the Rogers Centre in Toronto, the two vastly different right-fielders each reached rare and significant milestones.

Bautista became just the 26th player to reach the 50homer plateau with a solo shot in the first inning of the Toronto Blue Jays' 1-0 victory over the Seattle Mariners. Later, Suzuki

joined him in the spotlight as the first player with 10 consecutive 200-hit seasons, thanks to a double in the third and a single in the

Their feats overshadowed a well-pitched ball game, with Shawn Hill outduelling Cy Young Award candidate Felix Hernandez. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Jose Bautista's year-toyear increase in home runs, the second largest in baseball his-tory. Davey Johnson upped his total by 38 from 1972-73, going to 43 from five.

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EAST DIVISION									
New York Tampa Bay Boston Toronto Baltimore	92 91 84 77 61	61 61 68 75 91	Pct .601 .599 .553 .507 .401	GB - 1/2 71/2 141/2 301/2	WCGB - 7 14 30	5-5 5-5 6-4 5-5 6-4	Str L-2 W-2 W-1 W-1 L-1	Home 51-27 46-29 44-34 41-34 34-43	Awa 41-3 45-3 40-3 36-4 27-4
CENTRAL DIVIS	ION								
x-Minnesota Chicago Detroit Kansas City Cleveland	92 80 77 63 62	60 72 75 89 91	Pct .605 .526 .507 .414 .405	GB - 12 15 29 30 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	WCGB - 11 14 28 29 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	8-2 2-8 6-4 5-5 4-6	Str W-3 W-1 W-1 W-1 L-5	Home 52-25 40-34 49-29 34-40 32-43	Awa 40-3 40-3 28-4 29-4 30-4
WEST DIVISION									
Texas Oakland Los Angeles Seattle	W 84 76 75 58	67 75 77 94	Pct .556 .503 .493 .382	GB - 8 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 26 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	WCGB - 14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 16 33	6-4 5-5 6-4 3-7	Str W-1 L-1 L-1 L-1	Home 48-26 46-31 40-35 35-42	36-4: 30-4: 35-4: 23-5:
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EAST DIVISION									
Philadelphia Atlanta Florida New York Washington	W 92 86 76 74 65	61 67 76 78 88	Pct .601 .562 .500 .487 .425	GB - 6 15 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 17 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 27	WCGB  - 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 21	10-0 4-6 3-7 4-6 5-5	Str W-10 L-3 L-1 L-5 W-3	Home 51-27 52-23 38-39 44-30 38-37	Awa 41-3 34-4 38-3 30-4 27-5
CENTRAL DIVIS	ION								
Cincinnati St. Louis Houston Milwaukee Chicago Pittsburgh	W 86 78 73 71 69 53	67 74 80 81 83 99	Pct .562 .513 .477 .467 .454 .349	GB - 7:/2 13 14:/2 16:/2 32:/2	WCGB  - 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 13 14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 16 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 32 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	5-5 4-6 5-5 5-5 7-3 5-5	Str L-1 W-1 L-3 W-2 L-1 L-1	Home 45-30 46-28 41-37 38-40 34-44 38-40	Awa 41-3 32-4 32-4 33-4 35-3 15-5
WEST DIVISION									
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## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's results Toronto 1 Seattle 0 Kansas City 4 Cleveland 2 Tampa Bay 10 N.Y. Yankees 3 lampa Bay 10 N.Y. Yankees 3 Texas at Oakland Wednesday's results Seattle 6 Toronto 3 Minnesota 5 Cleveland 1 Chicago White Sox 4 Oakland 3 Detroit 4 Kansas City 2 Tampa Bay 7 N.Y. Yankees 2 Roston 6 Rattimore 1 Boston 6 Baltimore 1 Texas 2 L.A. Angels 1 (12 ings)

Tonight's games
Boston (Beckett +5) at N.Y. Yankees (Pettitte
11-2), 7:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Hochevar 6-5) at Cleveland (Tom-lin 4-4), 7:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Liriano 14-8) at Detroit (Verlander 17-8), 7:05 p.m.

1/-8), //Ub p.m.
Baltimore (Tillman 1-4) at Toronto (Cecil 13-7), 7:07 p.m.
Seattle (J/Vargas 9-11) at Tampa Bay (Niemann 10-7), 7:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (F. García 11-6) at L.A. An-

gels (Pineiro 10-7), 10:05 p.m. Texas (Tom.Hunter 12-4) at Oakland (Cramer 2-0), 10:05 p.m.

2-0), 1000 p.m.
Tomorrow's games
Baltimore at Toronto, 1:07 p.m.
Texas at Oakland, 405 p.m.
Boston at N.Y. Yankees, 4:10 p.m.
Kansas City at Cleveland, 7:05 p.m.
Minnesota at Detroit, 7:05 p.m.
Seattle at Tampa Bay, 7:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox at L.A. Angels, 9:05 p.m.

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Boston	84	68	.553	7.0	San Colo

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

(CYoung 1-0), 10:05 p.m. Tomorrow's games Atlanta at Washington, 1:05 p.m. St. Louis at Chicago Cubs, 1:05 p.m. Cincinnati at San Diego, 4:10 p.m. Houston at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m. NY, Mets at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m. Florida at Milwaukee, 7:10 p.m. LA. Dodgers at Arizona, 8:10 p.m. San Francisco at Colorado, 8:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

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Yesterday's results
St. Louis 9 Pittsburgh 2
Washington 7 Houston 2
San Francisco 13 Chicago Cubs 0
Milwaukee 8 Florida 3
Colorado at Arizona
San Diego at L. D. Dodgers
Wednesday's results
Philadelphia 1 Atlanta 0
Washington 4 Houston 3
Pittsburch 11 St. Louis 6

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San Diego 3 L.A. Dodgers 1
Today's games
St. Louis (Wainwright 19-11) at Chicago Cubs
(Gorzelanny 7-8), 2:20 p.m.
Atlanta (T.Hudson 16-8) at Washington (Zimmermann 0-2, 7:05 p.m.
Houston (Myers 13-7) at Pittsburgh (Ja.Mc-Donald 4-5), 7:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets. (Dickey 11-7) at Philadelphia (Blan-7-6), 7:09 p.m.

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N.Y. Mets (Dickey 11-7) at Philadelphia (Blan-ton 7-6), 705 p. 3. at Milwaukee (M.Rogers -0), 8:10 p.m. San Francisco (Lincecum 14-10) at Colorado (L'Chacin 9-9), 8:10 p.m. L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 12-10) at Arizona (En-Gridinati (Arroy 16-10) at San Diego (C'Young 1-0), 10:05 p.m.

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Diego	85	66	.563	
Atlanta	86	67	.562	
San Francisco	86	67	.562	
Colorado	82	69	.543	3.0
St. Louis	78	74	.513	7.5

## **AMERICAN LEAGUE**

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ı	Smoak 1b	3	0	1	0	V.Wells cf	2	0	0	0
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ı	Lngrhn If	0		0	0	Lind dh	3	0	0	0
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2B—I.Suzuki (28). HR—J.Bautista (50). S—

### BLUE JAYS' SINGLE-SEASON HOME RUN LEADERS

x - season still in progress x-50 - Jose Bautista, 2010 x-50 - Jose Bautista, 2010 47 - George Bell, 1987 46 - Jose Canseco, 1998 44 - Carlos Delgado, 1999 42 - Shawn Green, 1999 42 - Carlos Delgado, 2003 41 - Carlos Delgado, 2000 41 - Tony Batista, 2000 40 - Jesse Barfield, 1986

## HOMERUN RECORDS

HOMERUN RECORDS
x - season still in progress
73 - Barry Bonds, San Francisco, 2001
70 - Mark McGwire, St. Louis, 1998
66 - Sammy Sosa, Chicago Cubs, 1998
66 - Sammy Sosa, Chicago Cubs, 1998
65 - Mark McGwire, St. Louis, 1999
66 - Sammy Sosa, Chicago Cubs, 1999
61 - Sammy Sosa, Chicago Cubs, 1999
61 - Roper Maris, N.Y. Yankees, 1961
60 - Babe Ruth, N.Y. Yankees, 1962
79 - Babe Ruth, N.Y. Yankees, 1927
79 - Babe Ruth, N.Y. Yankees, 1927
88 - Jimmie Foxe, Phila, Athlietics, 1932
89 - Hank Greenberg, Detroit, 1938
89 - Mark McGwire, Oakland/St. Louis, 1997
88 - Ryan Howard, Phila, Phillies, 2006
x-50 - Jose Bautista, Toronto, 2010

## SOCCER

Tonight's game
(All times Eastern)
New York at Los Angeles, 11 p.m.
Tomorrow's games
Chivas USA at Philadelphia, 4 p.m.
San Jose at Tomoto FC, 4 p.m.
Houston at D.C. United, 7:30 p.m.
Columbus at New England, 7:30 p.m.
FC Dallas at Kansas City, 8 p.m.
Seattle FC at Chiago, 8 p.m.
Colorado at Real Salt Lake, 10 p.m.

## **SPAIN**

## LA LIGA

Yesterday's results Getafe 0 Malaga 2 Villarreal 1 Deportivo La Coruna 0 Sevilla 1 Racing Santander 1

### **ITALY**

## SERIE A

Yesterday's result Juventus 1 Palermo 3

## NHL

## **PRE-SEASON**

(x-split squad game) Last night's results N.Y. Rangers 4 New Jersey 3 (OT) Carolina 3 Nashville 1 Carolina 3 Nashville 1 Tampa Bay 5 Edmonton 2 x-Los Angeles at Phoenix x-Phoenix at Los Angeles At London, Ont. Toronto 3 Philadelphia 2 (SO) At Rochester, N.Y. Florida 3 Boston 2 Tonight's games Philadelphia at Toronto, 7 p.m.

Nashville at Carolina, 7 p.m. Chicago at Detroit, 7 p.m. Pittsburgh at Columbus, 7 p.m. Ottawa at Montreal, 7:30 p.m. Ottawa at Montreal, 7:30 p.m. Minnesota at St. Louis, 8 p.m. Colorado at Dallas, 8:30 p.m. Anaheim at San Jose, 10:30 p.m

## LEAFS 3, FLYERS 2 (SO)

LEAFS 3, FLYERS 2 (SO)
First Period
1. Philadelpia, Bourdon (Meszaros) 6:21
Penalties — Hamilton Tor, Carcillo Pha (roughing) 5:44, Rinaldo Pha (Slashing), Hanson Tor (elbowing) 1:27, Kalinski Pha (elbowing) 1:242, Rinaldo Pha, Rossehill Tor (roughing) 18:00.
2. Toronto, McKegg (Caputi, Orn) 13:14
3. Philadelphia, Guerin, 14:02
Penalties — Schenn Tor (holding) 4:01, Holmstrom Pha (holding stick) 10:36, Rinaldo Pha (fighting, game misconduct), Schenn Tor (fighting) 14:33, Armstrong Tor (hooking) 13:38.

Third Period 4. Toronto, Armstrong (Richmond, Versteeg)

Penalties — Hanson Tor, Bourdon Pha (fight-

ing) 4:42, Kalinski (high-sticking) Pha 7:53. Overtime

Shootout — Toronto wins 4-2 Toronto (4) — Kadri, Caputi, Hanson, Armstrong; Philadelphia (2) — Carter, Guerin, Lehtivouri.

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Shots
Shots
Philadelphia 11 9 14 3-37
Toronto 10 11 12 2-35
Goal — Philadelphia: Boucher, Bobrovsky
(SOL); Toronto: Gustavvson, Reimer (W).
Power plays (goals-chances) — Philadelphia:
0-1; Toronto: 1-2.
Attendance — N.A at London.

### **OILERS 5, LIGHTNING 2**

First Period
1. Tampa Bay, R.Jones 1 (Purcell, Persson)

4.55 2. Edmonton, Paajarvi 1 (Belle, Plante) 15:09 3. Edmonton, Cogliano 1 (Foster, Paajarvi)

3. Edmonton, Cogliano I, (Foster, Paajarvi)
18:34 (pp)
Penalties — Pouliot TB, Smid Edm (roughing),
Foster Edm (interference) 0:16, Mihalik TB
(hooking) 7:30, Brule Edm (high-sticking)
10:20, MacIntyre Edm (roughing) 13:31,
Ohlund TB (holding) 14:40, Ashton TB (slashing) 17:21, Reddox Edm (hooking) 19:06.
Second Period
4. Edmonton, Paajarvi 2 (Penner, Plante) 6:50 (pp)
Penalties — Hall TB (holding) 5:24, Smid Edm
(hoarding) 7:00, Downie TB (hooking) 11:10,
Omark Edm (hooking) 14:54, Foster Edm
(cross-checking) 17:47.

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(cross-checking) 17-47.
Third Period
5. Edmonton, Hall 1, 757 (pp)
6. Edmonton, Hall 1, 757 (pp)
6. Edmonton, Pajarvi 3 (Foster) 9:52 (sh)
7. Tampa Bay, Ashton 1 (Wright, Clark) 17-20 (pp)
Penatlites — Downie 1B, Smid Edm (roughing)
0:26, Tampa Bench (too many men, served by
Purcell) 6:57, Petiot Edm (holding) 8:07,
Wright TB (tripping) 11:54, Manchrye Edm
(roughing, charging) 15:48.
Shots
Tampa Bay
14 8 6 —28
Edmonton 11 4 6 —21

Tampa Bay 14 8 6 -2! Edmonton 11 4 6 -2: Goal (shots-saves) — Tampa Bay: Ellis (L,1-1-Oy; Edmonton: Dubnyk (W.2-0-0)(20-19), Deslauriers (9:29 second)(8-7). Power plays (goals-chances) — Tampa Bay: 1-10; Edmonton: 3-7. Attendance — 16,839 (16,839) at Edmonton

## NFL

## WEEK 3

### AMERICAN CONFERENCE

Miami N.Y. Jets New England Buffalo	2 1 1 0	0 1 1 2	0 0 0 0	Pct 1.000 .500 .500 .000	29 37 52 17	20 24 52 49
SOUTH						
Houston Jacksonville Tennessee Indianapolis	2 1 1 1	0 1 1 1	0 0 0	1.000 .500 .500 .500	64 37 49 62	51 55 32 48
NORTH						
Pittsburgh Cincinnati Baltimore Cleveland	2 1 1 0	0 1 1 2	0 0 0	1.000 .500 .500 .000	34 39 20 28	20 48 24 33
WEST						
Kansas City San Diego Denver Oakland	2 1 1 1	0 1 1 1	0 0 0	1.000 .500 .500 .500	37 52 48 29	28 34 38 52
	N.Y. Jets New England Buffalo SOUTH Houston Jacksonville Tennessee Indianapolis NORTH Pittsburgh Cincinnati Baltimore Cleveland WEST Kansas City San Diego Denver	Miami   2   N.Y. Jets   1   New England   1   England	Miami   2 0 0	Miami   2 0 0 0 NY. Jets   1 1 0 0 0 New England   1 1 0 0 Europe   1 1 0 0 0   2	Miami	Miami

### NATIONAL CONFERENCE

EAST						
Washington N.Y. Giants Philadelphia Dallas	W 1 1 1 0	1 1 1 2	0 0 0 0	.500 .500 .500 .000	PF 40 45 55 27	9A 37 56 59 40
SOUTH						
Tampa Bay New Orleans Atlanta Carolina	2 2 1 0	0 0 1 2	0 0 0	1.000 1.000 .500 .000	37 39 50 25	21 31 22 51
NORTH						
Chicago Green Bay Detroit Minnesota	2 2 0	0 0 2 2 2	0 0 0	1.000 1.000 .000	46 61 46 19	34 27 54 28

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WEST						
Seattle Arizona	1	1	0	.500 .500	45 24	37 54
San Francisco	0	2	0	.000	28	56

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Sunday's games
(All times Eastern)
Dallas at Houston, 1 p.m.
Cleveland at Baltimore, 1 p.m.
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Pittburgh at Tampa Bay, 1 p.m.
Detroit at Minnesota, 1 p.m.
Washington at St. Louis, 4:05 p.m.
Washington at St. Louis, 4:05 p.m.
San Diego at Seattle, 4:15 p.m.
Oakland at Atricon, 4:15 p.m.
Indianapolis at Denver, 4:15 p.m.
Ny. Jets at Miami, 8:20 p.m.
Ny. Monday's game

Monday's game Green Bay at Chicago, 8:30 p.m

## **CFL**

### **WEEK 13** EAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	Т	PF PA	P
Montreal	11	8	3	0	344 250	1
Hamilton	11	6	5	0	270 286	1
Toronto	11	6	5	0	237 293	1
Winnipeg	11	3	8	0	291 290	

## WEST DIVISION GP W L T PF PA Pt 11 9 2 0 396 245 18 11 7 4 0 321 304 14 11 3 8 0 276 295 6 11 2 9 0 200 372 4 Saskatchewan

Edmonton Tonight's game (All times Eastern) Montreal at Winnipeg, 8 p.m.

Saskatchewan at Hamilton, 6:30 p.m.
B.C. at Calgary, 9:30 p.m.
Sunday's game
Edmonton vs. Toronto (at Moncton, N.B.), 12 p.m.

## **GOLF**

## **PGA TOUR CHAMPIONSHIP**

At Atlanta	
Par 70	
First Round	
Geoff Ogilvy	32-34-66
Luke Donald	33-33-66
Paul Casey	33-33-66
Jim Furyk	33-34-67
K.J. Choi	33-35-68
Kevin Na	34-35-69
Hunter Mahan	32-37-69
Phil Mickelson	36-33-69
Jason Day	33-36-69
Kevin Streelman	37-33-70
Ryan Moore	35-35-70
Tim Clark	35-35-70
Robert Allenby	36-35-71
Nick Watney	35-36-71
Ben Crane	35-36-71
Retief Goosen	35-36-71
Ernie Els	35-36-71
Charley Hoffman	36-35-71
Matt Kuchar	37-35-72
Camilo Villegas	36-37-73
Dustin Johnson Bo Van Pelt	38-35-73
	37-37-74
Zach Johnson	38-36-74
Ryan Palmer	36-38—74 38-36—74
Justin Rose Adam Scott	38-36-74 37-37-74
Steve Stricker	37-37—74 36-38—74
Steve Stricker	30-30-74

## **TRANSACTIONS**

## **BASEBALL**

Jeff Overton Bubba Watson Martin Laird

NATIONAL LEAGUE
WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Announced the

resignation of president Stan Kasten, effective at the end of the season.

## **BASKETBALL**

DALLAS MAVERICKS — Signed F Steve Novak. NEW YORK KNICKS — Signed F Shawne

Williams.
PHILADELPHIA 76ERS — Traded G Willie
Green and F-C Jason Smith to New Orleans for
F Darius Songaila and F Craig Brackins.
PHOENIX SUNS — Signed coach Alvin Gentry
to a contract extension through the 2012-13

## **FOOTBALL**

NFL
BALTIMORE RAVENS — Agreed to terms with
LB Sergio Kindle on a one-year contract.
CARQUIMA PANTHERS — Signed Wite Marcus
Henry to the practice squad. Released RB Josh
Yaughan from the practice squad.
CHICAGO BEARS — Signed Wite Greg Mathews
to the practice squad.
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to the practice squad. Terminated the practice
squad contract of LB J.D. Folsom.
NEW YORK JETS — Waiwed T Patrick Brown.
SEATILE SEAHAWKS — Named Peter
MicLoughlin president. McLoughlin president.

## **HOCKEY**

NHL
ANAHEIM DUCKS — Assigned C Nick Bonino,
LW Rob Bordson, D Mat Clark, LW Nicolas Deschamps, D Joe DiPenta, LW Brandom McMilIan, D Mark Mitter and RW Kyle Palmier to
Syracuse (AHL), Assigned RW Emerson Etem,
C Peter Holland RW Devante Smith-Pelly and
COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS — Returned F DalCOLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS — Returned F Dalon Smith, Pert Straka, D Brandon Archibal
and D Austin Madaisky to their junior clubs.
Released G Rilley Gill and G Dan Taylor.
MINNESOTA WILD — Signed D Josh Caron, D
COlton Jobke and D Jared Spurgeon. Reassigned LW Brandon Buck, RW Jarod Palmer,
RW Joel Broda, RW Jean-Mickel Daoust and G
Josh Tordjman to Houston Aeros (AHL), G
Darry Kuemper to Red Deer (WHL), D Josh
Darry Kuemper to Red Deer (WHL), D Josh Tordinan to Houston Aeros (AHL), G Darcy Kuemper to Red Deer (WHL), D Josh Caron to Kamloops (WHL) and D Colton Jobke to Kelowna (WHL).

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## Crossword

Across 1 Doo follower 4 Gift-tag word 8 Highway access 12 Have bills 13 Hawkeyes' home 14 Satanic 15 Promontory 17 Part of N.B. 18 Accomplishment 19 Heart line? 20 Grinder 22 Dos cubed 24 "Metamorphoses" poet 25 Blended beverage 29 Author Deighton 30 Mimic's forte 31 Conclude 32 Equestrian showmanship 34 Senate staffer 35 Gumbo need 36 Obama's veep 37 Casual wear 40 Gasoline, e.g. 41 Deserve 42 Leeway 46 Genealogy chart 47 Surrounded by

## cereal Down

48 Pool stick

50 As deemed

appropriate

51 "Kid-tested,

mother-approved"

49 Bedframe piece

1 Homer's interjection 2 Shock partner 3 Banner 4 Taxpayer, in April 5 Fork choice

6 Possess

8 Start the computer again 9 State with conviction 10 Mouthwash flavor 11 Entreaty 16 Out of play 19 "Hi, sailor!" 20 Shape 21 Finished 22 Last letter 23 Heart

25 Mast

28 Paradise

30 Inquires

26 Wrestling hold

27 Playwright William

39 Vicinity 40 Go belly-up 42 Possessed 43 Flightless bird 44 Overseas agreement? 45 Tex- - cuisine

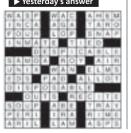
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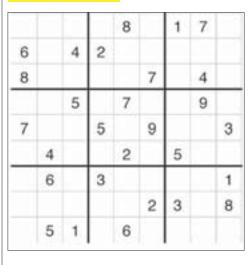
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## Sudoku



## How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

FRIDAY

Min 3°

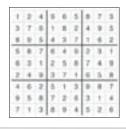
Max 17°

Yesterday's answer

SATURDAY

Max 17°

Min 3°



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Hansel, We just wanted to say how much you mean to us . We Love you so much Thank you for being there for us and for being a wonderful Daddy .Love always Karol & Our New Ba-

KAROL CHAVEZ

HAPPY BIRTHDAY JESSE! I know you are turning 24 but you do not look a day over 19. I love you and cant wait to celebrate your special day!! Wheres the Wine B\$%\*H

Yaxmos, to this world you may be just one person. but to one person (me) you're the whole world. Love you :) YOUR SARSAPARILLA

Lawren, you are so amazing. You make me smile every day. Happy Anniversary! I can't wait to see you tonight. LOVE, GLENN

### For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to metronews.ca

## T Aries March 21-April 20 No

Today's horoscope

matter how much others might try to cheer you up yesterday's full moon still has you in a bit of a funk and you need to spend some time by yourself to get over it.

## ¥ Taurus April 21-May 21

Don't jeopardize what you have gained in recent weeks by taking silly risks. Keep your feet planted firmly on the

## II Gemini May 22-June 21

Heed what employers and other important people tell you today, even though you may disagree with the gist of what they are trying to say.

G Cancer June 22-July 22 The influence of yesterday's full

moon is still strong and you may be tempted to make a decision about your career that will require major changes over the next six months or so. Think carefully.

Ω Leo July 23-Aug.23 You will need to take extra care when doing deals with people who are not "your people" - that is people you don't know how to relate to on a one-to-one level. Above all, don't let your heart rule your head.

TV Virgo Aug. 24- Sept. 22 You may want to hurry things along and resolve an issue that should have been dealt with a long time ago but the planets warn it won't be so easy.

← Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 You

seem to be a bit vulnerable at the moment, no doubt due to the full moon in your opposite sign of Aries, but your confidence will pick up over the weekend and it won't be long before you are back to your

M Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 If someone asks you to take on new responsibilities today turn them down flat.

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Nov. 23-Dec. 21 A change of direction may be necessary but you are advised to wait a while before making it.

り Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20 You may be tempted to do something drastic today, something you have not

thought through in much detail. Think it through first.

Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18 Social activities are still blighted by yesterday's full moon, so don't make any hard and fast plans or promises today because you may not be able to live up to them.

## H Pisces Feb. 19-March 20

Your emotions have been a bit up in the air of late and it my be another day or two before the more rational side of your nature kicks in again - then you'll see through the illusions you have been creating for yourself.

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